

## Special Notice

We are now comfortably located in our new double Dental Office over the Nash Grocery Co. where we are again prepared to resume our delayed and postponed appointments. Did You Ever move (in the rain)? Did you ever live thru the pain of junking a 7-year accumulation of bottles, ornaments, heirlooms and samples of innumerable concoctions of drugs and what not, and after longingly gazing on the mongrel collection, wonder why in h— such was even allotted floor space? We did, but never again! We respectfully request those who called us by phone message during that moving time, to please note that we are once more rational and ready to answer your summons.

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**Carl F. Bandelin—Geo. R. Houston**  
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Members of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association of Grand Rapids

DON'T FORGET TONIGHT  
EAGLE'S DANCE

Given by  
WISCONSIN AERIE NO. 373  
F. O. E.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1916  
AT THE  
AMUSEMENT HALL  
SKATING RINK

MUSIC BY THE MONARCH ORCHESTRA—8 PIECES  
Dancing From 8:30 to 2:00 O'clock

Tickets 50c per Couple  
Everybody Invited

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The man from Missouri failed to show up on Monday evening at the Wilson Club meeting, but this did not prevent those in attendance having a good meeting and listening to a fine talk.

Attorney W. E. Wheeler rose to the occasion and gave the boys a fine and inspiring speech as has ever been heard in this city. The club is thriving in fine shape and is continuing to grow right along, there now being 541 members, and more coming in right along.

Another talker that evening was C. C. Packard, who has been a republican for many years, but who this year is supporting Mr. Wilson for the presidency. Mr. Packard, after the past eighty years of age, was able to hold the attention of those present in good shape and told his reasons for supporting Mr. Wilson and what made a very good speech.

Next Saturday will be observed as Wilson Day, and on that evening a meeting will be held at the hall, when it is expected that there will be a big attendance and a rousing time.

## RECEIVE MANY OFFERS

Just at the present time the city of Stevens Point seems to be the center of attraction among people who have electric power to sell. At a meeting held in that city Monday evening Geo. W. Mead and T. W. Brazeau of this city were over at the Point, and Mr. Mead made them an offer to connect them up with the electric plants in this city and at Byron and furnish them power if they need it. There were also several other men with electric power for sale at the meeting.

According to those who are furnishing power to Stevens Point there is no shortage of power, and in case more is wanted they are ready and willing to enlarge the plant. In a statement given out by Mr. Mead while in Stevens Point, that gentleman stated that the mulling city would put in a dam in that city in case there was a demand for more power, and that the city would be furnished electricity, preferring to do it the same as is done in this city, having the city buy the current from the company and then distribute it the same as the electric company does here.

## SAMPLE LIGHTS INSTALLED

Two sample lights have been installed during the past week on the east side and the current has been turned on so that they were lighted up each evening, and notwithstanding the fact that some people have seen fit to criticize the design, shape, color and general make-up of the new lamps, still they give a pretty nice light and the chances are that when the whole city is properly fitted up with them they will not regret the very nice appearance and that the main streets will look much better than they ever did before.

J. Howard Browne, a graduate of the Stevens Point Normal in the class of 1906, and his law partner at Chippewa Falls, J. R. Murphy, have decided to close their practice and enter the Catholic priesthood. Mr. Browne was graduated from the University of Wisconsin in 1910. The law firm at Chippewa Falls is one of the most successful in that city. It was learned from friends that they would depart November 1 to enter the orders of the Holy Ghost Fathers, noted for its scholarly clergy. These fathers have their provincial novitiates at Norwalk, Conn. Mr. Murphy has been city attorney at Chippewa Falls six years. Both are graduates of the University of Wisconsin law school.

Mrs. Charles Natwick and Miss Laura Fordyce returned on Saturday from their auto trip to Minneapolis. They report a very nice trip with the exception of the last fifty miles or so, during which there was rain and the roads were quite slippery, making the going anything but good.

## THORNTON-ALFORD

Miss Daisy Thornton of Grand Rapids and Amos Alford of Wausau were married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. W. H. Calkins, in the town of Plover, October 20, 1916. Rev. T. C. Hanson of this city, pastor of the Baptist church, officiated. Those present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Amos Alford, Sr. and daughters, Edith, Laura and Irma, of Granite Heights, T. B. Thornton and son, Kenneth of this city and Miss Grace Hanson of Wausau.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford departed on Line train No. 5 for their new home in Wausau. Mr. Alford is an accountant for the Wausau Novelty Works. Miss Thornton is the youngest daughter of T. H. Thornton of this city.

## ICE MACHINES INSTALLED

The Grand Rapids Foundry company report that ice machines have been installed in the following places within a short time past:

One in Gary, Indiana, for the U. S. Steel Company, in a new restaurant that the company has put in there. One in the Elks' club in Chicago. Two in the Ayers Department Store in Indianapolis, Indiana. One in the state school in Dixon, Illinois. One in the plant of the Michigan Electro Chemical Co., at Menominee, Michigan. One for the Hawley Commission Co. at LaCrosse.

The company has been meeting with fine success with its plants and they have been giving good satisfaction.

## WILL MOVE TO GROUND FLOOR

O. R. Moore, the photographer, has leased a part of the Baker building at 105 2d street, and soon as it is fixed up he will move his photographic studio to that location. Carpenters are fitting up the north section of the building for this occupation. Mr. Moore, the dentist, and Mr. Moore will have the south part and the back of the building. A light is being built in for Mr. Moore and he will also install a 10,000 candle power electric illumination so as to be independent of daylight when occasion requires. Mr. Baker is installing a modern heating plant in the building and the tenants expect to move in the first of November.

## HOLLINSHEAD-LITTLE

Miss Alta Little, daughter of Conductor and Mrs. G. M. Little, and Peter Hollinshead, son of Conductor and Mrs. Peter Hollinshead, of New Lisbon, were married on Wednesday of last week, Rev. G. H. Marshall of the Methodist church performing the ceremony. The fathers of both the contracting parties have for years been conductors on the Milwaukee road running thru this city and are well known by many of our citizens.

## WOOD COUNTY WELL UP

The first cow testing association in Wood county holds seventh place in the state for cows producing over 40 pounds of fat. Out of 500 cows there are 12 with over 40 pound records. J. C. Kieffer of Auburndale holds the highest record of the county as one of his cows produced 58.1 pounds of fat, making it the sixth highest cow record in the state. This association is only two years old and the above records speak well for the work it is doing.—Vesper State Center.

Mrs. Kirk Muir has been at Tomah for several weeks past in the hospital where she went to have an operation for gall stones. However, her condition has been so poor that she has been unable to have the operation performed up to date, although it is hoped that before long she will have recuperated sufficiently to stand the ordeal.

Let Our  
Laundry  
Do Monday's  
Work

The easiest way, the most satisfactory way to rid yourself of the toil and bother of doing the family washing, is to send it to our laundry. . . .

We wash your clothes clean and white. We do the work better than you could at home—and better than a washerwoman would do it.

We return the clothes promptly—no matter what the weather, and we charge only a small sum for the work.

Your bed and table linen, towels and other flat work are all ironed and folded, ready for use. Try our service next week.

## NORMINGTON BROS.

Phone 387

First Ave. South

## Better Than Trading Stamps

## For The Cash Customer

Instead of giving you a trading stamp worth 2½ cents on the dollar, we give a coupon with each 25c purchase that has a value of 5c for 1½ the purchase price of genuine Community Silver, and dozens of other useful articles. Mind you, this is no scheme or premium plan, but we give you an opportunity to buy these articles at 1½ price, by using coupons for 1½ of price.

Moreover, if you do not wish to purchase any of the articles we have to offer under this plan, we will give you 50c in any merchandise in our store when you have bought \$10.00 worth of us.

Buy your Drugs, Stationery, Rubber Goods, Toilet Articles, Candy, etc. of us. Get our coupons. Hundreds of satisfied customers will vouch for their value. So will you. Call and get our catalog.

Votes for candidates in our Automobile contest given also.

**Otto's Pharmacy**  
GRAND RAPIDS, WISCONSIN

TRAIN HITS TRUCK  
AT PORT EDWARDS

The truck owned by the Grand Rapids Milling Company was struck by a train at Port Edwards Tuesday afternoon and quite badly damaged and the driver, Louis Oppenrud, was thrown to the ground, knocked unconscious and had two ribs broken.

It seems that Mr. Oppenrud had been to Nekosia with a load of feed from the mill, and owing to the fact that the river road is closed between Nekosia and Port Edwards, it was necessary to take the back road, and it was while on his way from this road to the main road that he was struck by the train on the Northwestern track, and things smashed up as above. The truck was put out of commission entirely, there being only one wheel left on the machine, and other damages.

It cannot be told just how the accident came to happen. The engineer on the locomotive that was pulling the train saw the truck and according to his statement thought it was going the other way until it was too late to stop, and it is supposed that the driver of the truck thought the same about the train, as he is a careful driver and has heretofore had no trouble of any kind. It is expected that Mr. Oppenrud will soon be able to be about again, although it will be some time before he can resume his work.

## AN EYE OPENER

There are a few occupations in Wisconsin which we should all like to see abolished for want of punishment. Among these are the sale of glass eyes. Few of us would object to seeing the asylums for the blind closed for the same reason.

Prevention is always better than cure. In blindness prevention offers almost the only hope, because the condition is almost never curable.

One gentleman now in the Milwaukee Extension Division of the University of Wisconsin to issue a bulletin on "The Eye in Industrial Accidents" which should be widely read. While it is just off the press, we expect the demand for it will be great. So long as copies are available, however, they will be mailed, free of charge, to citizens who send a request to this bureau.

While written primarily for people engaged in industrial plants the bulletin has great value for all because eye injuries are too common everywhere. This very morning I have learned of two personal acquaintances who have been dangerously injured during their vacations—one by a golf ball, the other in chopping wood at a lake resort.

The bulletin considers the most common ways in which eyes are injured and describes safety appliances which have been devised to reduce liability. Just how carelessness; the commonest of the plagues which threaten the eyes—dullness, lack of alertness or stupidity; poor eyesight; poor lighting and poor sanitary conditions cause eye injury, is clearly described.

The bulletin has been prepared by a specialist who speaks with authority, but in language free from technical words and phrases. One gentleman has in a post card might be the means of saving your eyesight or that of a near relative or friend.

## WHY HE CHANGED HIS MIND

An exchange tells the following story of a farmer who had decided to sell his farm. He listed it with a real estate dealer who wrote a very good description of the place. When the agent read it over to the farmer for his approval, the old man said "Read that again." After the second reading the farmer sat for several moments in a thoughtful mood, and finally said, "I don't believe I want to sell. I've been looking for such a place all my life, and it never occurred to me that I could find you described it to me. No, I don't want to sell out."—Jefferson County Union.

## WILL PLAY HERE SATURDAY

The Stevens Point football team will be here on Saturday afternoon to play with the local team, and it is expected that there will be a good game. There is always considerable rivalry between the Stevens Point boys and the local team, and there is no question but what the game on Saturday will be well worth seeing. It is expected that there will be quite a number over from the Point to see the game.

## HURT AT PACKING PLANT

Joe Romanaki, who works at the Rolland Packing company's plant, was quite painfully hurt on Wednesday morning soon after starting up. A hog fell off the ways and struck Mr. Romanaki on the side of the head, cutting two gashes, one of which required several stitches to close, and he had other cuts and bruises, all of which will lay him up for several days.

## IN THEIR NEW ROOMS

Drs. Bandelin & Houston moved into their new offices over the Nash Grocery company's store last week and are now nicely settled down and ready for business. They have two separate operating rooms, work rooms and a nice reception room, and have everything fixed up in nice shape.

## TEACHERS RECEPTION

The home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Wood was thronged on Saturday afternoon for the purpose of giving the teachers in the public schools a reception. The matter was under the auspices of the Federation, and the afternoon was spent in playing games and refreshments were served and a very pleasant time was had.

## AUTO DRIVERS, TAKE WARNING!

—You are hereby warned not to exceed the speed limit on the Byron road. A number of reckless drivers have been spotted and unless they cease their reckless driving they will be prosecuted. We mean business. Village Board of Byron.

## WILL MOVE TO COLORADO

According to the Colorado Springs Gazette, Rev. Fred Staff, who has been located at Sierra Madre, Cal., since leaving here, has accepted a call to go to Colorado Springs to take charge of the Congregational church in that city.

—We have farms to exchange for city property. If you want a loan on your farm or need some fire insurance, drop in and see us. Ed Po-mainville, the Real Estate Dealer, 34

## WILL BE TWO BALLOTS

When you go to the polls on November 7 you will be handed two ballots, one printed on light blue paper and the other printed on white paper.

The blue ballot will have printed on it the names of all the candidates for president and vice president and also the names of the candidates for presidential electors. The names of these candidates will be arranged in separate columns, under the different party designations, in alphabetical order, as follows: Democrat, Prohibition, Republican and Social Democrat, Social Labor and Independent. All the voter has to do in order to vote for either of the candidates for president is to place a cross (X) in the circle under the name of the party for whom he wishes to vote.

The white ballot will be arranged according to the different parties in the same alphabetical order and will contain the names of all candidates for United States senator, member of assembly and county officers. A cross placed in the circle at the head of one of these columns is also a "straight" vote for the entire ticket.

## MISS MYRTA COMPTON

A Former Grand Rapids Girl  
—Now with, and half owner of the famous Compton-Plumb Stock Co., which begins a three days' engagement at Daly's Theatre on Oct. 26th. Miss Compton, (Mrs. Hal H. Plumb) is the daughter of L. B. Compton now living at Woodstock, Ill. Miss Compton lived in Grand Rapids a short time with her parents. She adopted the stage a few years ago, being in bad health as a means to travel and to recuperate, with health restored, she was finally induced to remain in the profession, where she has a host of friends and admirers. Miss Compton is not only an exceptional actress of pleasing charm, but is possessed with a touch of magnetism—that never fails to impress her audiences with grace, repose and dignity.

## GAMBLING AT THE POINT

A supposed gambling joint was recently raided at Stevens Point, and in the raid several men were gathered in the place, and were being taken to the inside track of affairs and it did not take him long to get things so that they could be handled without any trouble. The detective also invaded the "posted men's" club, and found that it was customary for these posted persons to get all the beer and whiskey they wanted. It was customary for the posted men to meet and take up a collection when some outsider would be sent out after the wet goods and they would then proceed to drink it. He also stated that the city had been running wide open right along in spite of the reports to the effect that the saloons were closed on Sundays, and he stated that there was only one Sunday when the places were closed.

## ZIMMERMAN-PAUZER

Miss Emma Zimmerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zimmerman, and Mr. Anton Pauzer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wolfgang Pauzer of the town of Caron, were married on Tuesday at St. Peter and Paul church in this city, Rev. Wm. Reding performing the ceremony that made them man and wife. They were accompanied by Miss Rosa Zimmerman as bridesmaid and Mr. Mike Pauzer as best man.

After the ceremony the guests went to the home of the bride's parents in the town of Rudolph where a wedding breakfast was had and a general good time indulged in.

The young couple will make their home in the town of Rudolph where the groom is engaged in farming on what is known as the Peter Andres farm. Both of the contracting parties are well and favorably known in this community and they have a large number of friends who will unite with the Tribune in extending the warmest of congratulations and wishing them a long life of happiness.

## DRAINAGE MEN MEET

A meeting of the men interested in drainage matters was held at the court house on Tuesday, at which time there were representatives from all the drainage districts in this locality.

W. S. Braddock of the Beaver Drainage district was elected president, and W. B. Coddington of Portage County Drainage district was elected treasurer. The meeting was held for the purpose of considering drainage matters in general and more especially for the purpose of discussing what changes were desired in the laws governing drainage districts.

## BURT WILLIAMS HERE

Burt Williams, candidate for governor on the democratic ticket, was in the city on Tuesday and made a speech on the west side before a good sized audience. Mr. Williams put up a good talk and he was listened to with considerable interest. From here he went to Marshfield where he delivered another address.

Mr. Williams has been making an active campaign throughout the state and has made a great many speeches during the past few weeks, but in spite of the strain he has undergone he appears to be in good form and is getting thru the work in fine shape.

## DR. MERRILL RETURNING

Dr. W. G. Merrill, who has been at Camp San Antonio, near San Antonio, Texas, during the past few months, where he has held the rank of surgeon, in the army, expects to return to this city this week, or at least will get as far as Milwaukee this week, and after visiting with relatives will come here next week. Mrs. Merrill expects to leave for Chicago today or tomorrow to accompany the doctor home.

## WILL HAVE MORE POWER

It seems that the city of Stevens Point is going to have more electrical power in the future, the Wisconsin Valley Electric company of Wausau intending to extend their lines down there if the people of the Point are favorable to the scheme. It seems that the proposition to extend the company's power lines to that city has caused considerable discussion, as it is figured that it will cut into the business of the company already established there.

The banns of Miss Mildred MacKinnon and James MacKinnon were called for the first time at St. John's church last Sunday. The young lady is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. MacKinnon and the wedding day has been set for the 4th of November.

MEETING HELD TO  
ORGANIZE A CLUB

A meeting was held at the Elks hall on Monday evening for the purpose of taking the preliminary steps toward the organization of a Country Club. George P. Burkey and Lawrence Nash addressed the meeting and gave a brief outline of what was hoped to accomplish by the organization of the club. They also told of the amount of money that had been estimated as necessary for the establishing of the club, and what would be a desirable income for maintaining it after it had been established.

Considerable discussion was indulged in by those present, and the facts were brought out somewhat as follows:

An option has been taken on the Braunsdell farm near Hillsdale, Wis., and under this option the farm can be purchased at \$2,750. It is proposed to buy the farm, build a club house thereon and lay out a nine-hole golf course. It is estimated that this will cost in the neighborhood of \$10,000, and that the annual maintenance will total about two thousand dollars. After considerable discussion it was decided that it would be necessary to sell about 100 memberships in order to pay the running expenses, and it developed that about 78 had already signified their intention of becoming members and it was thought that no trouble would be encountered in securing one hundred more.

Several of those who have looked over the property on the river bank, where the Blumstead farm is located, expressed themselves as being very much in favor of the formation of the club, and seemed to be of the opinion that it would be a good thing for the city and that the membership would increase rather than diminish.

No move toward a permanent organization was made at the meeting held on Monday evening. E. W. Ellis acting as chairman of the meeting and E. B. Redford as secretary. After the members have signed up it is proposed to hold a meeting and effect a permanent organization, and then go ahead with the work. There is little question but what the required number of members will be secured and that the organization will be perfected. It is proposed to sell memberships at \$50 each, with a yearly due of \$5.

## TO SAVE THE NUT TREES

The Tribune is in receipt of a circular from the Nut Growers Association, an association that has been organized for the purpose of making an effort to save the fine nut trees of the country. In the circular a dig is taken at Henry Ford because he is using so much of the hickory of the country to make wheels out of, and another at the people of the country because they are using so much of the black walnut for gun stocks.

The effort of this association to save the trees of the country is a most laudable one, and while they may have started a trifle late, it is better late than never. However, there are many other varieties of trees in the country that are fully as valuable as those of the nut bearing varieties, and it would be just as much to the advantage of the public in general if something were done along the lines of conservation. Timber is of very little value when you have lots of it, and it is a mighty costly proposition after it is all gone, and you can't get it back. Men have been preaching for many years that the time would come when the country would be stripped of timber, and attempts have been made to have the farmers save at least a wood lot on their premises, and while there have been cases where the preaching did some good, there are many others where nothing was accomplished. After the timber has been cut from the country and it is necessary to plant it and raise it the same as any other crop, then the public will appreciate the value of it, and it is probable that very little can be done before then by missionary work.

## ADVERTISED MAIL

List of advertised mail at Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, October 23, 1916.  
Ladies: Bolesman, Miss Agnes; Simolke, Miss Katie.  
Gentlemen: Green Grass, Mr. Ed; Larson, Mr. J. H.; Martel, Gene; Palmer, Mr. Willie; Riland, E. J.; Riley, Jas. P.; Varpal, Dr. R. A.

## SENATOR TO SPEAK HERE

United States Senator Moses E. Clapp of Minnesota will be in this city Friday evening and deliver an address at the Amusement Hall on the political issues of the day.

## SOLD A BLOODED BULL

Arthur Bean shipped a pure blood Guernsey bull to parties at Ripon last week. The name of the bull is Jack Rima and he was one year old and brought the sum of \$250.

Your  
Watch

A man doesn't carry a watch as an ornament—he carries it for a date keeper and it his watch doesn't help him keep his dates, he doesn't want it.

Our watches are dependable date keepers—they run on time—they stay on time—and will help you to keep your date whether it be with the factory whistle or the president. They are absolutely reliable. They're made by watchmakers whose reputation for high grade work is well known.

Why not drop in and let us show you one of those guaranteed date keepers? We'll not ask you to buy—you'll ask us to sell.

Get Acquainted With Our Saving Plan. Before You Buy

—see—

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West Side

16 YEARS  
OF  
PRACTICE in WOOD  
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The man from Missouri failed to show up on Monday evening at the Wilson Club meeting, but this did not prevent those in attendance having a good meeting and listening to a fine talk.

Attorney W. E. Wheelan rose to the occasion and gave the boys as fine an impromptu speech as has ever been heard in this city. The club is thriving in fine shape and is continuing to grow right along, there now being 541 members, and more coming right along.

Another talker that evening was Mr. C. C. Packard, who has been a republican for many years, but who this year is supporting Mr. Wilson for the presidency. Mr. Packard, at the present time, is 60 years of age, was able to hold the attention of those present in good shape and told his reasons for supporting Mr. Wilson and without making a very good speech.

Next Saturday will be observed as Wilson Day, and on that evening a meeting will be held at the hall, when it is expected that there will be a big attendance and a rousing time.

## RECEIVE MANY OFFERS

Just at the present time the city of Stevens Point seems to be the center of attraction among people who have electric power to sell. At a meeting held in that city Monday evening Geo. W. Mead and J. W. Brazeau of this city were over at Stevens Point, and Mr. Mead made them an offer to connect them up with the electric plants in this city and at Biron and furnish them power if they need it. There were also several other men with electric power for sale at the meeting.

According to those who are furnishing power to Stevens Point there is no shortage of power, and in case more is wanted they are ready and willing to enlarge the plant.

In a statement given out by Mr. Mead while in Stevens Point, that gentleman stated that the milling company would put in a dam in that city in case there was a demand for more power, and that the city would be furnished electrically, preferring to sell it the same as is done in this city, having the city buy the current from the company and then distribute it the same as the electric company does here.

## SAMPLE LIGHTS INSTALLED

Two sample lights have been installed during the past week on the east side and the current has been turned on so that they were lighted up each evening, and notwithstanding the fact that some people have been fit to criticize the design, shape, color and general make-up of the new lamps, still they give a pretty nice light and the chances are that when the whole city is properly fitted up with them that they will make a very nice appearance and that the main streets will look much better than they ever did before.

J. Howard Browne, a graduate of the Stevens Point Normal in the fall of 1905, and his law partner at Chippewa Falls, R. Murphy, have decided to close their practice and enter the Catholic priesthood. Mr. Browne was graduated from the University of Wisconsin in 1910. The law firm at Chippewa Falls is one of the most successful in that city. It was learned from friends that they would depart November 1, to enter the orders of the Holy Ghost Fathers, noted for their scholarly clergy. These fathers have their provincial novitiate at Norwalk, Conn. Mr. Murphy has been city attorney at Chippewa Falls six years. Both are graduates of the University of Wisconsin law school.

Mrs. Charles Natwick and Miss Laura Fordyce returned on Saturday from their auto trip to Minneapolis. They report a very nice trip with the exception of the last fifty miles or so, during which there was rain and the roads were quite slippery, making the going anything but good.

## THORNTON-ALFORD

Miss Daisy Thornton of Grand Rapids and Ames Alford of Wausau were married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. W. H. Calkins, in the town of Plover, October 20, 1916. Rev. T. C. Hanson of this city, pastor of the Baptist church, officiated. Those present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Ames Alford, Sr. and daughter, Edith, Laura and Irma, of Granite Heights, T. H. Thornton and son, Kenneth of this city and Miss Grace Hanson of Wausau.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford departed on Soo Line train No. 5 for their home in Wausau. Mr. Alford is an electrician and works for the Wausau Novelty Works. Miss Thornton is the youngest daughter of T. H. Thornton of this city.

## ICE MACHINES INSTALLED

The Grand Rapids Poultry company report that ice machines have been installed in the following places within a short time past:

One in Gary, Indiana, for the U. S. Steel Company, in a new restaurant that the company has put in there. One in the Elks club in Chicago.

Two in the Ayers Department Store in Indianapolis, Indiana. One in the state school in Dixon, Illinois.

One in the plant of the Michigan Electro Chemical Co., at Menominee, Michigan.

One for the Hawley Commission Co. at LaCrosse.

The company has been meeting with fine success with its plants and they have been giving good satisfaction.

WILL MOVE TO GROUND FLOOR

O. R. Moore, the photographer, has leased a part of the Baker building at 105 2d street, and soon as it is fixed up he will move his photographic studio to that location. C. Prevost is always better than cure. In blindness prevention offers almost the only hope, because the condition is almost never curable.

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## TRAIN HITS TRUCK AT PORT EDWARDS

The truck owned by the Grand Rapids Milling Company was struck by a train at Port Edwards Tuesday afternoon and quite badly damaged. The driver, Louis Opperud, was thrown to the ground, knocked unconscious and had two ribs broken.

It seems that Mr. Opperud had been to Neokosa with a load of feed from the mill, and owing to the fact that the river road is closed between Neokosa and Port Edwards, it was necessary to take the back road, and it was while on his way from this road to the main road that he was struck by the train on the Northwestern track, and things smashed up as above.

The truck was run out of commission entirely, there being only one wheel left on the machine, and other damages.

It cannot be told just how the accident came to happen. The engineer on the locomotive that was pulling the train was the truck and according to his statement thought it was going the other way until it was too late to stop, and it is supposed that the driver of the truck thought the same about the train, as he is a careful driver and was here on duty.

It is a trouble of any kind. It is expected that Mr. Opperud will soon be able to be about again, altho it will be some time before he can resume his work.

## AN EYE OPENER

There are a few occupations in Wisconsin which we should all like to see abolished for want of patronage. Among these are the sale of glass eyes. Few of us would object to seeing the asylums for the blind closed for the same reason, but prevention is always better than cure. In blindness prevention offers almost the only hope, because the condition is almost never curable.

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## WILL BE TWO BALLOTS

When you go to the polls on November 7 you will be handed two ballots, one printed on light blue paper and the other printed on white paper.

The blue ballot will have printed on it the names of all the candidates for president and vice president and also the names of the candidates for presidential electors. The names of these candidates will be arranged in separate columns, under the different party designations, in alphabetical order as follows: Democrat, Prohibition, Republican and Social Democrat, Social Labor and Independent. All the voter has to do in order to vote for either of the candidates for president is to place a cross (X) in the circle under the name of the party for whom he wishes to vote.

The white ballot will be arranged according to the different parties in the same alphabetical order and will contain the names of all candidates for United States senator, member of assembly and county officers. A cross placed in the circle at the had of one of these columns is also a "straight" vote for the entire ticket.

## MISS MYRTA COMPTON

A Former Grand Rapids Girl—Now with, and half owner of the famous Compton-Plumb Stock Co., which begins a three days' engagement at the Grand Rapids Casino, Oct. 26th. Miss Compton, (Mrs. Hal H. Plumb) is the daughter of L. B. Compton now living at Woodstock, Ill. Miss Compton lived in Grand Rapids a short time with her parents. She adopted the stage a few years ago, being in bad health as a means to travel and to recuperate, with health restored, she was finally induced to remain in the profession, where she has a host of friends and admirers. Miss Compton is not only an exceptional actress, but a pleasing personality, and is possessed with a touch of magnetism—that never fails to impress her audiences with grace, repose and dignity.

## GAMBLING AT THE POINT

A supposed gambling joint was recently raided at Stevens Point, and in the raid several men were gathered in. A detective had been hired to get the inside track of affairs and it did not take him long to get things so that they could be handled without any trouble. The detective also invaded the "posted" saloon, and found that it was customary for these posted persons to get all the beer and whiskey that they wanted.

It was customary for the posted men to meet and take up a collection when some outsider would be sent out after the war goods and they would then proceed to drink it. He also stated that the city had been running wide open right along in spite of the reports to the effect that the saloons were closed on Sundays, and he stated that there was only one Sunday when the places were closed.

## ZIMMERMAN-PAUZER

Miss Emma Zimmerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zimmerman, and Mr. Anton Pauzer, of the town of Wolfcamp, Wis., of the town of Wolfcamp, were married on Tuesday at St. Peter and Paul church in this city. Rev. Wm. Reding performed the ceremony that made them man and wife. The wedding was a most beautiful affair, and the public company by Miss Rosa Zimmerman as bridesmaid and Mr. Mike Pauzer as best man.

After the ceremony the guests went to the home of the bride's parents in the town of Rudolph where a wedding breakfast was had and a general good time indulged in. The young couple will make their home in the town of Rudolph where the groom is engaged in farming on what is known as the Peter Andres farm. Both of the contracting parties are well and favorably known in this community and they have a large number of friends who will unite with the Tribune in extending the heartiest of congratulations and wishing them a long life of happiness.

## DRAINAGE MEN MEET

A meeting of the men interested in drainage matters was held at the court house on Tuesday, at which time there were representatives from all the drainage districts in this locality.

W. S. Bradlock of the Beaver Drainage district was elected president, and W. B. Coddington of the Portage County Drainage district was elected treasurer. The meeting was held for the purpose of discussing what changes were desired in the laws governing drainage districts.

## BURT WILLIAMS HERE

Burt Williams, candidate for governor on the democratic ticket, was in the city on Tuesday and made a speech on the west side before a good sized audience. Mr. Williams put up a good talk and he was listened to with considerable interest. From here he went to Marshfield where he delivered another address.

Mr. Williams has been making an active campaign through the state and has made a great many speeches during the past few weeks, but in spite of the strain he has undergone he appears to be in good form and is getting thru the work in fine shape.

## DR. MERRILL RETURNING

Dr. W. G. Merrill, who has been at Camp San Antonio, near San Antonio, Texas, during the past few months, where he has held the rank of surgeon in the army, expects to return to this city this week or next. He is expected to extend his trip to Chicago today or tomorrow to accompany the doctor home.

## WILL HAVE MORE POWER

It seems that the city of Stevens Point is going to have more electrical power in the future, the Wisconsin Valley Electric company of Wausau intending to extend their lines down there if the people of the Point are favorable to the scheme. It seems that the proposition to extend the company's power lines to that city has caused considerable discussion, as it is figured that it will cut into the business of the company already established there.

The banns of Miss Mildred MacKinnon and Mr. James Wade Jenkins were called for the first time at St. John's church last Sunday. The young lady is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. MacKinnon and the wedding day has been set for the 4th of November.

## MEETING HELD TO ORGANIZE A CLUB

A meeting was held at the Elks hall on Monday evening for the purpose of taking the preliminary steps toward the organization of a Country Club. George P. Berkey and Lawrence Nash addressed the meeting and gave a brief outline of what was hoped to accomplish by the organization of the club. They also told of the amount of money that had been estimated as necessary for the establishing of the club, and what would be a desirable income for maintaining it after it had been established.

Considerable discussion was indulged in by those present, and the facts were brought out somewhat as follows: An option has been taken on the Bransteadt farm near Bulls Eye bluff, and under this option the farm can be purchased at \$2,750. It is proposed to buy the farm, build a club house thereon and lay out a nine-hole golf course. It is estimated that this will cost in the neighborhood of \$10,000, and that the annual maintenance will total about two thousand dollars. After considerable discussion it was decided that it would be necessary to sell about 100 memberships in order to develop the running expense of the club. It was estimated that 75 had already signified their intention of becoming members and it was thought that no trouble would be encountered in securing one hundred or more.

Several of those who have looked over the property on the river bank, where the Bransteadt farm is located, expressed themselves as being very much in favor of the formation of the club, and seemed to be of the opinion that it would be a good thing for the city and that the membership would increase rather than diminish.

No move toward a permanent organization was made at the meeting held on Monday evening. E. W. Jills acting as chairman of the association, and E. B. Redford as secretary. After the members have signed up it is proposed to hold a meeting and effect a permanent organization and then to go ahead with the work. There is little question but what the required number of members of the proposed club can be secured, and that the organization will be successful. It is proposed to sell memberships at \$50 each, with a yearly due of \$35.

## TO SAVE THE NUT TREES

The Tribune is in receipt of a circular from the Northern Nut Growers Association, an association that has been organized for the purpose of making an effort to save the fine nut trees of the country. In the circular a dig is taken at Henry Ford because he is using so much of the hickory of the country to make wheels out of, and another at the people of the old country because they are using so much of the black walnut for gun stocks.

The effort of this association to save the trees of the country is a most laudable one, and while they have been preaching for many years that the time would come when the country would be stripped of timber, and attempts have been made to have the farmers save at least a wood lot on their premises, and while there have been cases where the preaching did some good, there are many others where nothing was accomplished. After the timber has been cut from the country and it is necessary to plant it and raise it the same as any other crop, then the public will appreciate the value of it, and it is probable that very little can be done before then by missionary work.

## ADVERTISED MAIL

List of advertised mail at Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, October 23, 1916. Ladies: Bolman, Miss Agnes; Simons, Miss Katie. Gentlemen: Green Grass, Mr. Ed; Larson, Mr. J. H.; Martell, Gene; Palmer, Mr. Willie; Riland, E. L.; Riley, Jas. P.; Varpahl, Dr. R. A.

## SENATOR TO SPEAK HERE

United States Senator Moses E. Clapp of Minnesota will be in this city Friday evening and deliver an address at the Amusement Hall on the political issues of the day.

## SOLD A BLOODED BULL

Arthur Bean shipped a pure Blood Guernsey bull to parties at Ripon last week. The name of the bull is Jack Rind and he was one year old and brought the sum of \$250.

## Your Watch

A man doesn't carry a watch as an ornament—he carries it for a date keeper and if his watch doesn't help him keep his dates, he doesn't want it.

Our watches are dependable date keepers—they run on time—they stay on time—and will help you to keep your date whether it be with the factory whistle or the president. They are absolutely reliable. They're made by watchmakers whose reputation for high grade work is well known.

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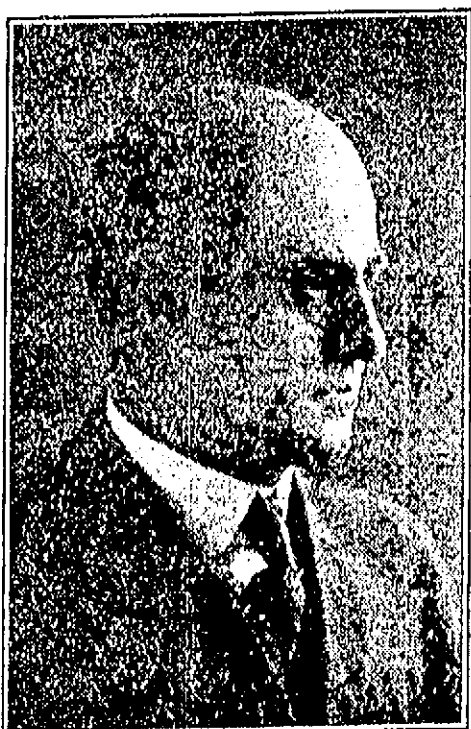
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By WILLIAM AHERTON DU PUY

## The Nemesis of the Sugar Samplers

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# A Rolling Stone

By FRANK FILSON

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## ELOPES WITH HIS SON'S SWEETHEART

Steady Business Man Quits Wife  
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# Uncle Sam: Detective

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## The Nemesis of the Sugar Samplers

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True stories of the Great Federal Detective Agency, the Bureau of Information, U. S. Dept. of Justice.

"Mr. Gard," said the chief, "I take it you would like to earn the stipend the government pays you."

"Your lead sounds ominous," said the young special agent who had a free and easy way with him even as the Washington headquarters. "If I say yes, you will have me a large piece of hard work. If I say no, I will be courted by the devil. I select the lesser of two evils. I confess to a desire to earn my money."

"It is like this," said the chief. "We suspect that there is a leak in the collection of sugar duties. You know the possibilities. If a ship comes to port with 10,000 tons of sugar from Cuba, it pays duty that depends on the purity of the cargo. If that sugar is graded at 92 per cent pure it gets in a half cent a pound cheaper than if it is graded 90 per cent pure. The difference in duty received by the government on such a cargo might, theoretically, amount to \$100,000."

"If I catch three ships," mused Gard, "I will have earned my salary for the rest of my life and won't have to work any more."

"I wouldn't just say that," responded the chief, "but if you saved the government half a cent a pound on all the sugar imported, you would bring into the coffers a round two million a year. That would be a fair compensation for a somewhat amateurish detective."

"Sustained by the flattery of my superior," said Gard, "I am ready to rush into any mad undertaking. What are the orders?"

"You will be assigned to one of the great sugar ports. We do not even know that any fraud is being practiced. You are to find out. If there is fraud you are to determine the method of it. The criminals, particularly the big ones, are to be apprehended. The government would like to know how these frauds may be prevented in the future. The work need not be completed tomorrow or next day. You may have any amount of help. But we must know that sugar duties are honestly paid."

It was a week later that William H. Gard sent in his card to Henry Gottrell, president of the Continental Refining company, one of the greatest importers of raw sugar in the nation. According to this card Gard was a writer of magazine stories. He had explained in asking for an interview that he was assigned to write an article on "sugar ships," which should be a yarn of color and romance in a setting of fact.

When the special agent entered the office of President Gottrell, large and florid and radiating geniality, he found his plan of approach somewhat interfered with by the presence of a third party. Seated at the elbow of the refinery was one of the most striking young women he had ever seen. Corn-colored hair gone mad in its tendency to curl made a perfect frizzle about her face. A flock of freckles, each seemingly in pursuit of its fellow just ahead, were hurrying the bride of a somewhat pug nose. Blue eyes that danced and a mouth that responded to the racing thought of an active brain gave life to the face. And as she arose the slightest movement of her slim, well-rounded form suggested fast work on a tennis court.

Henry Gottrell presented his daughter.

"She always looked like a Swede," said the big man, "so we call her Thelma."

"And Mr. Gard," she bubbled forth, "I have so wanted to know what a writer did when he went for an interview. May I stay and see?"

"It will destroy a romantic illusion if you do," said Gard. "Are you willing to pay the price?"

"I can't believe that," she said. "Do let me see how it is done. Don't leave out a single thing."

"The interview begins," said the special agent, "by seating himself, as I am doing, in an uncomfortable chair which has been arranged with the idea in mind of preventing him from staying too long. The gentleman being interviewed always reaches into the right-hand drawer of his desk, as your father is doing, and produces a box of very excellent cigars. Then the interviewer explains the idea that is on his mind that requires elucidation. Has the man being interviewed anything on hand, already prepared, that covers the ground. Maybe he has made a speech at a convention, or something of that sort. The idea is to save labor for both. Mr. Gottrell is now looking for the report of his testimony before the committee on tariff revision. He will probably produce three reprints that will contain much matter that I want. I ask if he will provide a conversational escort to conduct me over one of his sugar ships. If I may talk to his captains. He agrees. You see him doing it. The interview is at an end. The foundation has been laid for a romance on 'sugar ships,' the same having a background of fact."

"That is splendid," exclaimed Miss Gottrell, "because it does so easily a thing that looks so hard. It does not spoil an illusion at all. It is wonderfully clever."

It was in this way that Special Agent Gard got an opportunity to go most carefully over the docks, through the warehouses, into the ships of the Continental Refining company. It was in this way that he was enabled to ask many questions that might have aroused suspicion had he been there in any other guise than that of a writer.

Felt Like a Fixture. It was the day before the official visit of the general, and the subaltern had sent the bugler to obtain particulars of the forthcoming visit.

He knuckled at the door, entered and stood aside while numbers of officers dashed in and out. The orderly room sergeant swore, the colonel swore, and everybody else sighed or gasped, while the telephone buzzed incessantly.

Half an hour passed, then an hour, and the bugler stood against the wall, first on one leg, then on another, without receiving a moment's attention.

Finally the sergeant turned on him and in tones of brass demanded: "Well, what the deuce do you think you're waiting for?"

"For the duration of the war, sir, I think."

Those Who Stay at Home. The vacation habit is growing with the American people. Every year larger numbers go away. And the value of this habit is freely

down the docks under a pink parasol and in the midst of an array of fluffy, spring ruffles such as make a healthy, wholesome girl outlive in beauty the orchids of the most tropically luxuriant jungle.

The special agent had always liked corn-colored hair and freckles on the nose and worshipped at the shrine of the physically fit. Besides which this girl had enthusiasm and intelligence and inspiration. And it was spring and he was a younger shut off from his kind and lonesome. He had thought of her a lot of times since that day he had interested her by pretending to be something he was not. Now he rather resented it that she should be there and he a perspiring laborer, not daring to speak to her.

And just at that time something very startling happened. The great crane of the ship drew another load of sugar from the hold and swung it majestically over the dock. In doing so it described a great sweep in reaching the spot where it was to be deposited. In the midst of this sweep a single sack of sugar slipped from beneath the ropes and came hurtling out and down as though it were a projectile from a sling.

The pink parasol was standing unconsciously with its back turned directly in the course of the flying bag. The vision of spring beneath it was gazing away to where a sail was just taking the fresh breeze. Billy Gard and his truck were emerging from the shed for a new load of sugar. And here was a young man quick to act and with a training that enabled him to do so effectively.

Three strides and a leap into the air were all the time allowed. But this was enough to make it possible for him to tackle about the waist the catapulted sugar sack, much as he had often tackled the member of an opposing team who tried to go around his end in the old football days. To be sure this and play was the fastest he had ever seen and resulted in a good spill, but it was a success. The pink parasol was unharmed.

Thelma Gottrell came to a realization of what had happened about the time Gard was getting himself to his feet. She ran to him spontaneously.

"Where can I meet you when another Saturday night comes?"

"Me at the Bayou Fouché mills," said Hansen.

"And the company sends me to Colorado for my lungs," said Tobin, the consumptive.

"And I keep time at the refinery," ventured "Fat" Cunningham.

"Don't you fellows get anything for it but a little off-season work?" asked Gard.

"Not a thing," acknowledged Hansen with a huge oath. "We certainly sold out cheap and the company makes barrels of money out of the bargain. But the old man has never given us a look in on any of it."

The dictagraph stenographer at the next table had caught every word. He was in a position to substantiate the testimony of Gard who should be able to make these samplers tell their stories in court. Soon the two fell away without being missed, but they took with them a complete case against the government samplers of this port and against the Continental Refining company which had been profiting through their shortcomings.

It was a month later and Billy Gard had completed his work. He had gone to Henry Gottrell "cold turkey," as the special agents say when they lay all the cards on the table. He had shown that rotund and genial captain of industry just the case the government had against him. With him he had gone over the record of the business of the refinery since that period, eight years previous, when the war sample scheme had been inaugurated. He had worked out an estimate of the probable duty that the government had lost during that time. The actual loss was not, of course, as great as the theoretical, for many of the samples were of necessity honest. Yet it must have run as high as \$600,000 as a shortage on the part of Gottrell and his associates.

Gard indicated the possibility of the success of a criminal prosecution, the probability of recovering that large sum of money through the courts. He confessed to the humiliation of the government that so many of its employees had been false to their trust. He even granted that the government might, under the circumstances, feel itself somewhat to blame for the conditions that had existed. It is not recorded whether the vision of a girl with corn-colored hair came into the mind of the special agent, but he had to do with his recommendations that the case be settled out of court. But certain it is that the government authorized him to propose that, if the company should pay the government \$600,000, an amount it would be just able to raise and escape bankruptcy, the case would be dismissed, the samples discarded, and a new regime inaugurated in which the government would take pains to protect itself.

Upon this basis the case was settled. Billy Gard had earned his salary.

The next day he was packing up at his hotel in preparation for leaving for Washington when there arrived by messenger a little, square, delicately scented envelope which he tore open somewhat wonderingly. Inside he found this note:

"FATHER HAS TOLD ME ALL ABOUT IT. FOR THE FIRST TIME LET ME SAY 'SPLENDID.' AND REMEMBER THAT YOU PROMISED TO COME AND TELL ME HOW IT WHEN IT WAS ALL OVER."

"THELMA GOTTRELL."

Which would seem a perfectly good reason why Gard was a day late in reaching Washington.

Mental State in Tuberculosis. Doctor Ballet, an eminent French physician, describes a peculiar mental state which he has found in the tuberculosis. It is compounded as a rule of elements of jealousy on the dark side, and of profound egotism. This reaction leads to mistrust and suspicion, which may be pronounced enough to constitute a delusion of persecution, or a state of melancholic depression. More rarely there is a state of excitement in this disease, explained in part by fever. In its slightest form, this excitement is characterized by a feeling of well-being, which even at the point of death may give a delusion of a return of health. In cases of more pronounced excitement, the patient shows impulsive, irrational and alcoholic tendencies.

Lighting the Oven. A baker's oven, illuminated on the inside, is a great advantage, since otherwise the contents cannot be closely inspected unless withdrawn from the oven. An arrangement suitable for electric or gas lighting has been devised. The door is, hinged to the frame by means of pins. One pin is provided with a counterweight to facilitate the action of the oven in opening and closing. The other pin has a crank arm. On an extension on the door is mounted a knife switch, with

two short fingers to engage with the crank arm. The opening of the door establishes an electrical connection with a lamp mounted in a casing near the door. If gas is used, the crank arm engages with the shank of a valve which regulates the flow of gas to the burner in the casing. Popular Science Monthly.

Optimistic Thoughts. To cure half of life's troubles and mitigate the remainder.

Spinsters Live Longer. St. Louis, Mo.—Spinsters make the best insurance risks because the death rate among them is lower than in the case of men and married women, according to T. A. Phillips in an address before the American Life Insurance convention.

To Label Huebands. Rochester, N. Y.—Married men will be labeled in the new city directory. After each married man's name his wife's name will appear in parentheses.

Steady Business Man Quits Wife and Children for Stenographer.

Two Homes Sorrow. Girl's Telegram Shows She Could Not Resist Mature Admirer—Her Betrothed Away With His State Regiment.

Boston, Mass.—Charles H. Grotter, forty-five years old, treasurer of the Louis E. Merry company, bankers, with a residence in Malden and a summer home in North Weymouth, has eloped with the sweetheart of his fifteen-year-old son, Leslie, who has been with the Massachusetts militia at El Paso, Tex.

The broken-hearted mother of Mr. Grotter's three children admitted that fact at the Grotter home. She was corroborated by the father of Mildred Merrill, twenty-two years old, a stenographer, who sacrificed her soldier sweetheart and her home to elope with a man old enough to be her father.

Crushed by the weight of a double sorrow—his mother having committed suicide two weeks ago—Fred Merrill of Eastman road, Somerville, quoted from a yellow slip of paper: "I fought him for six years."

"MILDERED."

It was a telegram he received last Sunday from Worcester, in which his daughter told of her step.

Employed in His Office. Where she and her forty-five-year-old companion may be now is not known either to Mr. Merrill or Mrs. Grotter.

"I want my husband home again in spite of everything," said Mrs. Grotter.

"All I want is my little daughter back again," said Mr. Merrill.

Miss Merrill was employed as a stenographer for several years in Mr. Grotter's office, and the two were open-

ly fond of each other's society, but no one thought that Mr. Grotter's liking was anything more than admiration of his supposedly prospective daughter-in-law.

The fact that Mr. Grotter frequently took Miss Merrill riding in his touring automobile was known to both families, and was never given a thought.

Grotter Family Prostrated. Mrs. Grotter and her two daughters, both in their teens, are prostrated. But Mrs. Grotter has not a single bitter word to say, either of her husband or of his companion.

"I hope the girl is restored to her father," she said, "and as for my husband, I want him to come back again. Not here, though; not here. What is there left for him here? He has lost every friend, or will lose them, when the affair becomes known. Oh, how could he? How could he?"

STOPPED HIS WIFE'S TONGUE. Husband Used "Dumbcane" Because He Tired of Her Chatter—Later Paid Hospital Bill Cheerfully.

St. Louis, Mo.—Mr. and Mrs. John Kearns were inspecting a botanical garden here when the gentleman pointed to a plant and called it "Dumbcane."

Kearns' curiosity was aroused and he asked, "Why the dumb?" The gardener replied that if a leaf is placed on the tongue it renders the person speechless. Some time later Kearns approached his wife smilingly.

"Shut your eyes and open your mouth. I've something good for you," he said, and his wife obeyed. At the time Mrs. Kearns recovered her speech and she told on Kearns. He confessed. Likewise he footed the hospital bill.

"I didn't have faith in what that gardener said, but sometimes my wife talks too much and I thought I'd try it," he explained.

SEWED UP EYES OF HIS HOGS. Farmer Says He Did It to Prevent Their Catching Chickens—Court Fines Him for Cruelty.

Trenton, N. J.—Because he sewed up his hogs' eyes to keep them from catching chickens, Joseph K. Leigh, a Pleasant Valley farmer, has been arrested and fined \$20 and costs.

Leigh's only excuse was that "father used to do it." Some visitors in the neighborhood discovered the practice and notified Wallace P. Thornton, an S. P. C. A. officer, who made the charge. The full penalty is \$250 fine and six months' imprisonment.

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Kearns' curiosity was aroused and he asked, "Why the dumb?" The gardener replied that if a leaf is placed on the tongue it renders the person speechless. Some time later Kearns approached his wife smilingly.

"Shut your eyes and open your mouth. I've something good for you," he said, and his wife obeyed. At the time Mrs. Kearns recovered her speech and she told on Kearns. He confessed. Likewise he footed the hospital bill.

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"Henceforward, I'll be a rolling stone no more," said Frank Latham, as he stepped out of the train at Eppingham. "I'm going to get a job and stick to it. I'm twenty-six, and it's time I settled down somewhere. Eppingham's good enough for me. I'll become a local magnate and own half the town, and be an influence in the county, and maybe I'll go into politics and perhaps wind up as governor, or even—"

"Hey, young fellow! Get out of that!"

It was a sad awakening from his dream. Frank had inadvertently stepped off the road and into the flow or beds of a real local magnate, to judge from the splendor of the house and the extensive grounds. And when one is in bed clothes one must dream carefully.

With a low apology, Frank turned to make off. But the elderly gentleman who had shouted him came running up, wild with excitement.

"What do you mean by walking over my geranium beds?" he demanded furiously.

"I beg your pardon," said Frank. "I didn't think where I was going."

"You don't have to explain that," said the man wrathfully. "Get out of here, and don't let me see your face again, or I'll have you run out of town. I'll know you next time we meet," he added.

Frank made off; there was nothing else to do, in fact. A little way down the street he stopped to ask a native, who owned the big place.

"That's Mr. Stone," said the man, grinning. "I guess you've heard of him, haven't you?"

"The man who's building the big dam?"

"That's him, sure."

"Confound it," thought Frank. "For he had come to Eppingham, investing his last ten dollars on the train fare, because he heard that there was to be unlimited work on Mr. Stone's dam."

He had been gently born, but he had not made the most of his opportunities. The call of the road was imperative to him. Again and again he had settled down, only to fling up his

position and try elsewhere. But now, after a run of hard luck which had reduced him to a position which he had never contemplated before, Frank was glad enough of the chance of a position at day laborer's wages. And he had ruined everything by his dream-

"I'll give up. Fate's against me!" said Frank angrily.

He turned out of Eppingham into the woods. Eppingham was the last station on the line, beyond it stretched a great expanse of state forest. It was early June, and summer was calling. Frank could have spent the whole summer in a camp without a qualm. He resolved to strike the trail on the chance of picking up summer work at a club or bureau.

He had gone about a mile when he was startled to hear screams from the bend of the trail. A moment later there appeared a young woman, mounted on a bay horse, which was evidently running away with her. She was holding on for dear life, and the horse had a frightened look; also his ears lay flat back against his head.

Frank did not hesitate an instant. He leaped forward and planted himself in the middle of the roadway. As the horse reared he caught at the bridle. It dragged him several yards and stopped puffing and snorting. Still holding the bridle, Frank extended his hand to the frightened girl, who collapsed in a heap upon the ground before him.

"It was a bear frightened my horse," she gasped. "He has never run away with me before."

It was some minutes before she was able to stand on her feet, and then she was trembling all over. Frank thought he had never seen such a pretty girl before.

"I don't know how to thank you enough," she said. "Father likes to have me go riding by myself, but I always laughed at him. I shall know better in the future."

"You must let me see you home," said Frank gallantly.

"I can't ride Polyphemus again—"

"If you like, I'll lead him home for you," said Frank.

The suggestion proved agreeable and, as the girl was at length recovered from her fright, they set out along the road together. Frank holding the bridle and the girl at his side. As they chatted gaily, all his past life seemed to confront him. What a fool he had been, a regular rolling stone.

When Bathes Became Fashionable. Baths first came into fashion in the 16th century, according to some recollections in the "Cornhill" of George Foliock, who died last year at the age of ninety-four. They caused much annoyance to an old colonel because they incumbered officers' luggage. "These young men," he complained, "keep washing themselves till there is not a bit of natural smell about them." The only unpardonable smell was, of course, tobacco. Even onions were preferable.—London Globe.

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She praises it highly as she has been relieved of all these pains by its use. All mothers should know of this remedy, and all young girls who suffer should try it. —Mrs. MATILDA KURTZWEIG, 623 High St., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Shortening Bird Season.

Pennsylvania is the latest of the States to take up the question of shortening the season on game birds, and good reasons for curbing the activities of hunters are presented in a statement of the game commission not being sent to individuals and sporting associations.

Birds are being exterminated under the present laws, and the remedy proposed is in restricting the season to one month and changing the date until the birds are full grown and better able to take care of themselves.

What particular hardship would there be in ordering a close season for two, three or five years and then seeing that the law is rigidly enforced? Quail and other game birds need more protection than the existing laws have given them, and if all the States would agree upon an adequate program of conservation the country would be benefited by the saving of the food products now destroyed by insects.—Providence Journal.

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## PUT QUESTION BACK TO PAPA

Small Boy Rather Had the Best of Joke Initiated by the Head of the Family.

Theodore Chapin, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chapin of 2440 North Talbot, has wisdom far beyond his actual six years of existence. Theodore is just recovering from an attack of typhoid fever, and, naturally, by the way, he observes with remarkable fortitude. One evening recently he was invited out for dinner by a young friend, and on his return home, Mrs. Chapin asked him what he had to eat. He began slowly to enumerate those things which the family doctor had given him permission to eat, but, with true mother instinct, Mrs. Chapin knew that he had omitted one thing. She knew that there was one thing that her son was passionately fond of, and that was fried potatoes, which the doctor had said should not be eaten.

"Now, Theodore, you had some fried potatoes also, didn't you?" asked the mother.

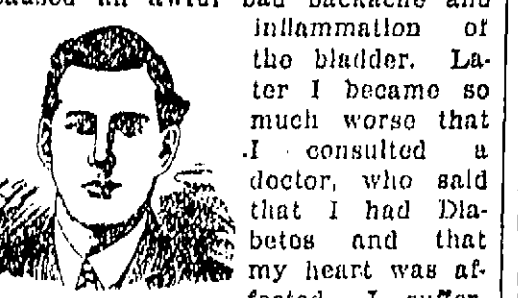
"Well, yes, I believe we did," he reluctantly confessed, and after a few minutes he looked up and said: "I'll tell you, it takes a fellow with lots of brains to get ahead of my mother."

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The young son looked up quickly, and, with a knowing twinkle in his eye, asked: "Now, pop, what have you been trying to put over on her?" —Indianapolis News.

## SUFFERED FOR FOUR YEARS.

Mr. J. M. Sinclair of Olivet, Tenn., writes: "I strained my back, which weakened my kidneys and caused an awful bad backache and inflammation of the bladder. Later I became so much worse that I consulted a doctor, who said that I had Diabetes and that my heart was affected. I suffered for four years."



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## HAVE YOU PICKED A LEMON?

English Writer Not Altogether Complimentary in His Remarks on Marital Happiness.

Arnold Bennett, the famous English novelist, talks about how men feel when they are engaged or married. They realize that they have married a human being instead of a divine goddess. Bennett says: "The process of reasoning is not scientific, and inevitably it must bring disillusion, which means complications. The disillusion is precipitated by the universal instinct to over-estimate that which one desires and to under-estimate that which one has got. See the young husband as he watches his newly acquired wife enter a friend's drawing room. His anxiety, which he often immediately conceals, is touching. Afternoon, the entrance of that same young woman into a drawing room never caused him the slightest apprehension. On the contrary, it filled him with delight and thanksgiving. Then, her imperfections, if she had any, somehow constituted a perfection. If she was tactless, her silliness was beautifully expressive. If she gabbled, the stream of chatter was delicious. If she was awkward, a secret grace was in her awkwardness. But now that he has got her, the vain fellow is intensely afraid lest she may fail to prove to the world the excellence of his taste." —Woman's Home Companion.

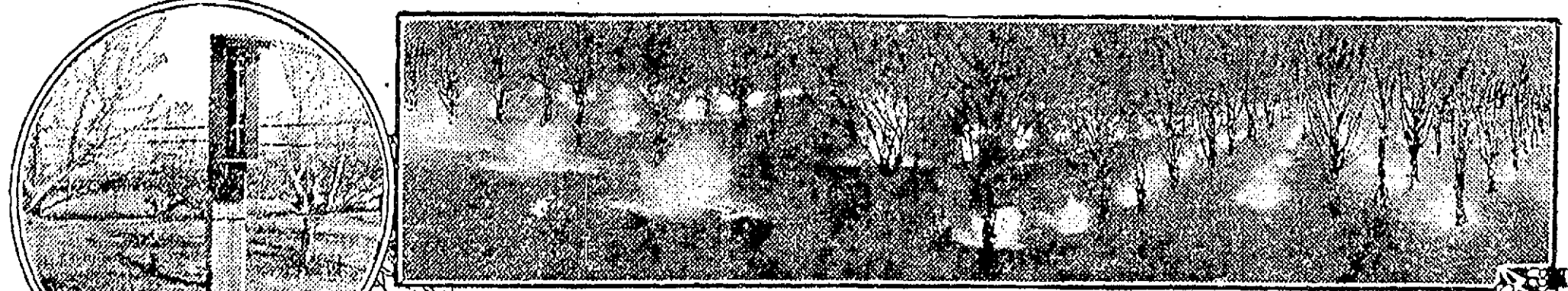
## A Juvenile Tyrant.

"Why do you let the boy play with those costly ornaments? He's bound to break a vase or two?"

"I can't do anything with him," wailed the distracted mother. "I have to let him have his own way. He threatens to go out and catch the whooping cough if I don't." —Louisville Courier-Journal.

Nimrod—"How can you tell a deer from a cow?" Guide—"By the farmer's bill." —Rocky Mountain News.

# SAVING FRUIT FROM FROST



WHEN THE SMUDGE POTS ARE BURNING

ONE BUSINESS END OF FROST ALARM, THE THERMOMETER

How up-to-date orchardists protect their crops and laugh at the ghost of bankruptcy by using smudge pots to drive away killing cold during the blossoming period : : : : :

By Robert H. Moulton

WITHIN the last two years another and a greater triumph of scientific horticulture has arrived; another natural enemy of the things that grow and bring forth fruit has been vanquished. Jack Frost, long king of the fruit crop, has been dethroned. Fruit growers have literally built millions of fires and burned him out.

Scientific orchard heating has made it possible to raise the temperature of a 200-acre orchard to fifteen degrees with as much certainty as the janitor can heat the city man's flat. It takes somewhat more labor than the least methodized process, but the satisfaction and the profits of "heating all outdoors" are surprisingly greater. Frost insurance for the fruit crop is now just as practicable, just as certain, and vastly more profitable for the money expended than either fire or life insurance.

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# Uncle Sam: Detective

By WILLIAM AHERTON DU PUY

## The Nemesis of the Sugar Samplers

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True stories of the Great Federal Detective Agency, the Bureau of Information, U. S. Dept. of Justice.

"Mr. Gard," said the chief, "I take it you would like to earn the stipend the government pays you."

"Your load sounds onerous," said the young special agent who had a few and easy way with him even at the Washington headquarters. "If I say yes, you will hand me a large piece of hard work. I select the sugar of two evils. I confess to a desire to earn my money."

"It is like this," said the chief. "We suspect that there is a leak in the collection of sugar duties. You know the possibilities. If a ship comes to port with 10,000 tons of sugar from the tropics, it is worth \$1,000,000. The difference in duty received by the government on such a cargo might, theoretically, amount to \$100,000."

"If I catch three ships," said Gard, "I will have earned my salary for the rest of my life and won't have to work any more."

"It wouldn't just say that," responded the chief, "but if you saved the government half a cent a pound on all the sugar imported, you would bring into the coffers a round two million a year. That would be a fair accomplishment for a somewhat anaesthetic detective."

"Satisfied by the flattery of my superior," said Gard, "I am ready to rush into any mad undertaking. What are the orders?"

"You will be assigned to one of the great sugar ports. We do not even know that any fraud is being practiced. You are to find out. If there is fraud you are to determine the method of it. The criminals, particularly the big ones, are to be punished. The government would like to know how these frauds may be prevented in the future. The work need not be completed tomorrow or next day. You may have any amount of help. But we must know that sugar duties are honestly paid."

It was a week later that William H. Gard sent in his card to Henry Gottrell, president of the Continental Refining company, one of the greatest importers of raw sugar in the nation. According to this card Gard was a writer of magazine stories. He had explained in asking for an interview that he was assigned to write an article on "sugar ships," which should be a yarn of color and romance in a setting of fact.

When the special agent entered the office of President Gottrell, large and florid and radiating geniality, he found his plan of approach somewhat interfered with by the presence of a third party. Seated at the elbow of the refiner was one of the most striking young women he had ever seen. Corn-colored hair gone mad in its tendency to curl made a perfect frizzle about her face. A flock of freckles, each seemingly in pursuit of its fellow just ahead, were hurrying the bridge of a somewhat pug nose. Blue eyes that danced and a mouth that responded to the racing thought of an active brain gave life to the face. And as she arose the slightest movement of her slim, well-rounded form suggested fast work on a tennis court.

Henry Gottrell presented his daughter. "She always looked like a Swede," said the big man, "so we call her Thelma."

"And Mr. Gard," she bubbled forth. "I have so wanted to know what a writer did when he went for an interview. May I stay and see?"

"It will destroy a romantic illusion if it is," said Gard. "Are you willing to pay the price?"

"I can't believe that," she said. "Do let me see how it is done! Don't leave out a single thing."

"The interview begins," said the special agent, "by seating himself, as I am doing, in an uncomfortable chair in front of the person with whom the interview is to be had. The gentleman being interviewed always reaches into the right-hand drawer of his desk, as your father is doing, and produces a box of very excellent cigars. Then the interviewer explains the idea that is on his mind that requires elucidation. Has the man being interviewed anything to say already prepared that covers the ground. Maybe he has made a speech at a convention, or something of that sort. The idea is to save labor for both. Mr. Gottrell is now looking for the report of his testimony before the committee on tariff revision. He will probably produce three reprints that will contain much matter that I can use in my story. He will provide a conventional escort to conduct me over one of his sugar ships. If I may talk to his captains. He agrees. You see him doing it. The interview is at an end. The foundation has been laid for a romance on 'sugar ships,' the same having a background of fact."

"That is splendid," exclaimed Miss Gottrell, "because it does so easily a thing that looks so hard. It does not spoil an illusion at all. It is wonderfully clever."

It was in this way that Special Agent Gard got an opportunity to go most carefully over the docks, through the warehouses, into the ships of the Continental Refining company. It was in this way that he was enabled to ask many questions that might have aroused suspicion had he been there in any other guise than that of a writer.

Felt Like a Fixture.

It was the day before the official visit of the general, and the subaltern had sent the bugler to the regimental orderly room to obtain particulars of the forthcoming visit.

He knocked at the door, entered and stood aside while numbers of officers dashed in and out. The orderly room sergeant, however, the colonel's aide, and everybody else sighed or gasped, while the telephone buzzed incessantly.

Half an hour passed, then an hour, and the bugler stood against the wall,

first on one leg, then on another, without receiving a moment's attention.

Finally the sergeant turned on him and in tones of brass demanded:

"Well, what the deuce d'you think you're waiting for?"

"For the duration of the war, sir, I think."

Those Who Stay at Home.

The vacation habit is growing with the American people. Every year larger numbers go away.

And the value of this habit is freely recognized. A vacation at the right time not only saves many a man and woman from a breakdown, but also adds an interest and a joy in life which would otherwise not be there.

Nevertheless, it must be admitted that the majority of people are compelled by necessity to remain at home during the summer months. They have no choice in the matter. Yet they can console themselves with the reflection that in many ways their lot is more comfortable than that of those who go. Summer hotels and boarding

down the docks under a pink parasol and in the midst of an array of flapping ruffles such as make a healthy, wholesome girl outlive in beauty the orchids of the most tropically luxuriant jungle.

The special agent had always liked corn-colored hair and freckles on the nose and worshipped at the shrine of the physically fit. Besides which this girl had enthusiasm and intelligence and inspiration. And it was spring as a young man shut out from her a lot of times since that day he had interested her by pretending to be something he was not. Now he rather resented it that she should be there and he a perspiring laborer, not daring to speak to her.

And just at that time something very startling happened. The great crane of the ship drew another load of sugar from the hold and swung it majestically over the dock. In doing so it described a great sweep in reaching the spot where it was to be deposited. In the midst of this sweep a single sack of sugar slipped from beneath the ropes and came hurtling out and down as though it were a projectile from a sling.

The pink parasol was standing unconsciously with its back turned directly in the course of the flying bag. The vision of spring beneath it was gazing away to where a sail was just taking the fresh breeze. Billy Gard and his truck were emerging from the shed for a new load of sugar. And here was a young man quick to act and with a training that enabled him to do so effectively.

Two strides and a leap into the air were all the time allowed. But this was enough to make it possible for him to tackle about the waist the catapulted sugar sack, much as he had often tackled the member of an opposing team who tried to go around him in the old football days. To be sure this end play was the fastest he had ever seen and resulted in a good spill, but it was a success. The pink parasol was uninjured. The Thelma Gottrell came to a realization of what had happened about the time Gard was getting himself up to his feet. She ran to him spontaneously

and would have helped him to rise had he shown the forethought to be a little slower.

"I do hope you are not hurt!" she began. "It was splendid—Oh! What? It is Mr. Gard, isn't it? How in the world—" she stopped in consternation. Billy Gard grinned foolishly.

"Don't give me away," he pleaded with her. "It is a very great secret and it would all be spoiled if you did. A writing man must have color, must for many a day. The sugar sack, but what was vastly more in his favor in the eyes of Flavot than even liberality was the fact that he spoke French. Mon Dieu, these rough Americans who knew not of the blandishments of absinthe and drank only the whiskey! The resort keeper and the newcomer held them in a common contempt."

The special agent had selected the resort of Jean Flavot as a basis of operations because it was the place most frequented by the samplers. He wanted, in the first place, to find out if these men had more money to spend than honest men of their salaries should have. The individual who makes illicit connections usually spends it lavishly and it should therefore be easy to determine if the samplers were being paid to be crooked. And Gard, after two weeks of convivial association with them, was rather thrown back upon himself when he found that their carousals were always within their means and that money was scarce among them. They were evidently not being bribed.

That might get on a more intimate basis with these samplers Gard went to work as a laborer on the docks, and there toiled for two months. He came to be most intimately one of them, was given every opportunity for observing their work, was even entrusted with certain valuable consignments when they would meet again by associating with them when they were in their cups.

His task was but half finished, however, when the maiden with the frizzy hair and the freckles came near upsetting the beans. The daughter of the president of the company had played through her childhood on the docks and about the warehouse and was not yet averse to climbing stacks of sugar sacks or descending into the holds of the ships. So it happened that she often visited the water front, and Gard had at first feared he might be recognized, but this fear wore away as the visits were repeated and no attention was paid to him.

Ent one busy day he was carrying away the sacks of sugar that were being unloaded in packages of twenty or so, stung in ropes and lifted by mighty derricks, when Miss Gottrell stroled

existed on the sugar docks. But his case might still be strengthened, for he wanted the whole story from a man who participated in the irregularities, and in such a way that it might be introduced into court as evidence. This was the last opportunity and the special agent hoped that the story might be told tonight when the samplers were reckless over their liquor.

Heard Flavot brought whiskey and beer when the big-fisted Hansen beat upon the table. Billy Gard stood upon his chair and drank to the time when they would all get together again under the cobwebs that decorated the ceiling of the little Frenchman. He led three lusty cheers for that time, for none was so abandoned on these docks as the younger son of the president's daughter. And Flavot and Billy interchanged a wink, for they had a secret between them. Both knew that the beverage that the special agent drank with such recklessness was nothing more than cold tea, and the little Frenchman delighted in seeing his favorite lead these American pigs, who knew no decency in drinking, on to complete inebriety.

But Gard had a secret from even Flavot which had to do with a grimy little man who sat at a nearby table and who had of late frequented the place—a seedy, long-haired, sallow man who worked always with pencil over the manuscript of a play he was writing. As a true genius he paid no heed to what went on around him. But this same man in Washington was a star stenographer at the department of justice, a dapper, one-time court reporter, the man who had handled the listening end of many a dictograph when the ways were being greased between men in high places and the penitentiary at Atlanta.

"Where can I meet you when another Saturday night comes?"

"Me at the Bayou Poudre mills," said Hansen.

"And the company sends me to Colorado for my lungs," said Tobin, the consumptive.

"And I keep time at the refinery," ventured "Fat" Cunningham.

"I need the work," said the fat man.

"And you, Tobin?"

"I held out a year," said the little consumptive, "but couldn't afford to lose my job."

All the others present pleaded guilty.

"Don't you fellows get anything for it but a little off-season work?" asked Gard.

"Not a thing," acknowledged Hansen with a huge oath. "We certainly sold out cheap and the company makes barrels of money out of the bargain. But the old man has never given us a look in on any of it."

The dictograph stenographer at the next table heard every word. He was in a position to substantiate the testimony of Gard who should be able to make these samplers tell their stories in court. Soon the two faded away without being missed, but they took with them a complete case against the government samplers of this port and against the Continental Refining company which had been prying through their shortcomings.

It was a month later and Billy Gard had completed his work. He had gone to Henry Gottrell "cold turkey," as the special agents say when they lay all the cards on the table. He had shown that rotund and genial captain of industry just the case the government had against him. With him had gone over the record of the business of the refinery since that period, eight years previous, when the wet sample scheme had been inaugurated. He had worked out an estimate of the probable duty that the government had lost during that time. The actual loss was not, of course, as great as the theoretical, for many of the samples were of necessity honest. Yet it must have run as high as \$500,000 as a shortage on the part of Gottrell and his associates.

Gard indicated the possibility of the success of a criminal prosecution, the probability of recovering that large sum of money through the courts. He confessed to the humiliation of the government that so many of its employees had been found to be crooked. He granted that the government might, under the circumstances, feel itself somewhat to blame for the conditions that had existed. It is not recorded whether the vision of a girl with frizzly, corn-colored hair came into the mind of the special agent and had to do with his recommendations that the case be taken to the courts. Yet it is that the government authorized him to propose that, if the company should pay the government \$500,000, an amount it would be just able to raise and escape bankruptcy, the case would be dismissed, the samplers discharged, and a new regime inaugurated in which the government would take part.

Upon this basis the case was settled. Billy Gard had earned his salary.

The next day he was packing up at his hotel in preparation for leaving for Washington when there arrived by messenger a little, square, delicately scented envelope which he tore open somewhat wonderingly. Inside he found:

"Father has told me all about it. For the third time let me say 'splendid.' And remember that you promised to come and tell me about it when it was all over."

"THELMA GOTTRELL."

Which would seem a perfectly good reason why Gard was a day late in reaching Washington.

Mental State in Tuberculosis.

Doctor Ballet, an eminent French physician, describes a peculiar mental state which he has found in the tuberculosis. It is compounded as a rule of sadness, of looking on the dark side, and of profound gloom. This tendency leads to misanthropy and suspicion, and is pronounced enough to constitute a disease of melancholic depression. More rarely there is a state of excitement in this disease, explained in part by fever. In its slightest form, this excitement is characterized by a feeling of well-being, which even at the point of death may give a delusion of a return of health. In cases of more pronounced excitement, the patient shows impulsive, irrational and alcoholic tendencies.

Lighting the Oven.

A baker's oven, illuminated on the inside, is a great advantage, since otherwise the contents cannot be closely inspected, unless withdrawn from the oven. An arrangement suitable for electric or gas lighting has been devised. The door is hinged to the frame by means of pins. One pin is provided with a counterweight to facilitate the action of the door in opening and closing. The other pin has a crank arm. On an extension on the door is mounted a knife switch, with

two short fingers to engage with the crank arm. The opening of the door establishes an electrical connection and a lamp mounted in a casing near the door. If gas is used, the crank arm engages with the shank of a valve which regulates the flow of gas to the burner in the casing.—Popular Science Monthly.

Optimistic Thought.

Occupation tends to cure half of life's troubles and mitigates the remainder.

To Label Husbands.

Rochester, N. Y.—Married men will be labeled in the new city directory. After each married man's name his wife's name will appear in parentheses.

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## A Rolling Stone

By FRANK FILSON

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"Henceforward, I'll be a rolling stone no more," said Frank Latham, as he stepped out of the train at Eppingham. "I'm going to get a job and stick to it. I'm twenty-six, and it's time I settled down somewhere. Eppingham's good enough for me. I'll become a local magnate and own half the town, and be an influence in the county, and maybe I'll go into politics and perhaps wind up as governor, or even—"

"Hey, young feller! Get out of that!"

It was a bad awakening from his dream. Frank had inadvertently stepped off the road and into the flower beds of a real local magnate, to judge from the splendor of the house and the extensive grounds. And when one is in old clothes one must dream carefully.

With a low apology, Frank turned to make off. But the elderly gentleman who had shouted to him came running up, with a look of excitement.

"What do you mean by walking over my geranium beds?" he demanded furiously.

"I beg your pardon," said Frank. "I didn't think where I was going."

"You don't have to explain that," said the man wrathfully. "Get out of here, and don't let me see your face again, or I'll have you run out of town. I'll know you next time we meet," he added.

Frank made off; there was nothing else to do, in fact. A little way down the street he stopped to ask a native, who owned the big place.

"That's Mr. Stone," said the man, grinning. "I guess you've heard of him, haven't you?"

"The man who's building the big dam?"

"That's him, sure."

"Confound it," thought Frank. For he had come to Eppingham, investing his last ten dollars on the train fare, because he heard that there was to be unlimited work on Mr. Stone's dam.

He had been gently born, but he had not made the most of his opportunities. The call of the road was imperative to him. Again and again he had settled down, only to fling up his

position and try elsewhere. But now, after a run of hard luck which had reduced him to a position which he had never contemplated before, Frank was glad enough of the chance of a position at day laborer's wages. And he had ruined everything by his dreaming!

"I'll give up. Fate's against me," said Frank angrily.

He turned out of Eppingham into the woods. Eppingham was the last station on the line, beyond it stretched a great expanse of state forest. It was early June, and summer was calling. Frank could have spent the whole summer in a camp without a quiver. He resolved to strike the trail on the chance of picking up summer work at a club or bungalow.

He had gone about a mile when he was startled to hear screams from the bend of the trail. A moment later there appeared a young woman, mounted on a bay horse, which was evidently running away with her. She was building on for dear life, and the horse had a frightened look; also his ears lay flat back against his head.

Frank did not hesitate an instant. He leaped forward and planted himself in the middle of the roadway. As the horse reared he caught at the bridle. It dragged him several yards and stopped puffing and snorting. Still holding the bridle, Frank extended his hand to the frightened girl, who collapsed in a heap upon the ground before him.

"It was a bear frightened my horse," she gasped. "He has never run away with me before."

It was some minutes before she was able to stand on her feet, and then she was trembling all over. Frank thought he had never seen such a pretty girl before.

"I don't know how to thank you enough," she said. "Father hates to have me go riding by myself, but I always laughed at him. I shall know better in the future."

"You must let me see you home," said Frank gallantly.

"I can't ride Polyphemus again—"

"If you like, I'll lead him home for you," said Frank.

The suggestion proved agreeable, and as the girl was at length recovering from her fright, they set off along the road together, Frank holding the bridle and the girl at his side. As they chatted gaily, all his past life rose up to confront him. What a fool he had been, a regular rolling stone,

when he could have settled in this town long before and known girls like this.

To tell her as much, and indicated so strongly his meaning that the girl looked like a penny when they reached the outskirts of Eppingham. Yet he could see that she was not displeased with him.

"Why don't you settle here and try?" she asked.

"Would you allow me to see you again?"

"The future will tell," she answered indignantly.

"But, honestly, if you are seeking for employment, my father would be only too pleased to offer you something, I know. He is always looking for suitable men, men who will stay with him. You see, he is the largest employer of labor in the county."

At this moment Frank perceived the old gentleman of the flower-beds coming toward them at a brisk walk. Seeing the girl with Frank, and the latter leading the horse, he stopped in particular discomfiture.

"Father!" exclaimed the girl. "This gentleman was good enough to rescue me when Polyphemus ran away. He was frightened by a bear, father—and you were right, and I shall never disobey your wishes again. Let me introduce you to my father, Mr.—" she added.

"Latham," said Frank. "I think we'd better be going."

"Young man," said Stone, "I reckon that I've seen a new face every minute. If I have met you, must pardon me for not recognizing you. I cannot thank you enough for saving my daughter. Is there nothing I can do to show my appreciation?"

"Mr. Latham spoke of staying here, father," said the girl, looking at Frank, meaningly.

"You like our little town?" asked Mr. Stone.

"I love it," answered Frank. "Yes, if I can find any other work in town—"

"Are you a stoker?" asked the other. "Or just a rolling stone? I only have stokers about me?"

"I can stick like a leech," answered Frank gaily.

"Are you a stenographer?"

"Yes, I am a stenographer."

"Yes, I am a stenographer."

## ELOPES WITH HIS SON'S SWEETHEART

Steady Business Man Quits Wife and Children for Stenographer.

## TWO HOMES SORROW

Girl's Telegram Shows She Could Not Resist Mature Admirer—Her Betrothed Away With His State Regiment.

Boston, Mass.,—Charles H. Grotter, forty-five years old, treasurer of the Louis E. Merry company, bakers, with a fine residence in Mattapan and a summer home in North Weymouth, has eloped with his son's sweetheart, his nineteen-year-old son, Leslie, who has been with the Massachusetts militia at El Paso, Tex.

The broken-hearted mother of Mr. Grotter's three children admitted that fact at the Grotter home. She was corroborated by the father of Mildred Merrill, twenty-two years old, a stenographer, who scorned her son's offer of a sweetheart and her home to elope with a man old enough to be her father.

Crushed by the weight of a double sorrow—his mother having committed suicide two weeks ago—Fred Merrill of Eastman road, Somerville, quoted from a yellow slip of paper: "I fought him for six years."

It was a telegram he received last Sunday from Weymouth, in which his daughter told of her step.

Employed in His Office.

Where she and her forty-five-year-old companion may be now is not known either to Mr. Merrill or Mrs. Grotter.

"I want my husband home again in spite of everything," said Mrs. Grotter.

All I want is my little daughter back again," said Mr. Merrill.

Miss Merrill was employed as a stenographer for several years in Mr. Grotter's office, and the two were open-

ly fond of each other's society, but no one thought that Mr. Grotter's liking was anything more than admiration of his supposedly prospective daughter-in-law.

The fact that Mr. Grotter frequently took Miss Merrill riding in his touring automobile was known to both families, and was never given a thought.

Grotter Family Prostrated.

Mrs. Grotter and her two daughters, both in their teens, are prostrated. But Mrs. Grotter has not a single bitter word to say, other of her husband or of his companion.

"I hope the girl is restored to her father," she said, "and as for my husband, I want him to come back again. Not here, though; not here. What is there left for him here? He has lost everything, or will lose them, when the affair of his wife is over. Oh, how could he? How could he?"

STOPPED HIS WIFE'S TONGUE

Husband Used "Dumbcane" Because He Tired of Her Chatter—Later Paid Hospital Bill Cheerfully.

St. Louis, Mo.—Mr. and Mrs. John Kearne were inspecting a botanical garden here when the gardener pointed to a plant and called it "dumbcane."

Kearne's curiosity was aroused and he asked, "Why the dumb?" The gardener replied that if a leaf is placed on the tongue it renders the person speechless. Some time later Kearne approached his wife smilingly.

"Shut your eyes and open your mouth," he said. "I have something good for you," he said, and his wife obeyed. At the city hospital Mrs. Kearne recovered her speech and she told on Kearne. He confessed. Likewise he footed the hospital bill.

"I didn't have faith in what that gardener said, but sometimes my wife talks too much and I thought I'd try it," he explained.

SEWED UP EYES OF HIS HOGS

Farmer Says He Did it to Prevent Their Catching Chickens—Court Fines Him for Cruelty.

Trenton, N. J.—Because he sewed up his hogs' eyes to keep them from catching chickens, Joseph K. Lehigh, a Pleasant Valley farmer, has been arrested and fined \$20 and costs.

Lehigh only excused was that "father used to do it." Some visitors in the neighborhood discovered the man and notified Wallace P. Thornton, an S. P. C. A. officer, who made the charge. The full penalty is \$250 fine and six months' imprisonment.

Spintires Live Longer.

St. Louis, Mo.—Spintires make the best insurance risks because the death rate among them is lower than in the case of men and married women, according to T. A. Phillips in an address before the American Life Insurance convention.

After each married man's name his wife's name will appear in parentheses.

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# YOUNG WOMEN MAY AVOID PAIN

Need Only Trust to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, says Mrs. Kurtzweg.

Buffalo, N. Y.—"My daughter, whose picture is herewith, was much troubled with pains in her back and sides every month and they would sometimes be so bad that it would seem like acute inflammation of some organ. She read your advertisement in the newspapers and tried Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. She praises it highly as she has been relieved of all these pains by its use. All mothers should know of this remedy, and all young girls who suffer should try it."

—Mrs. MATILDA KURTZWEIG, 629 High St., Buffalo, N. Y.

Young women who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion, should take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Thousands have been restored to health by this root and herb remedy.

If you know of any young woman who is sick and needs help, please write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. Only women will receive her letter, and it will be held in strictest confidence.

# Your Liver Is Clogged Up

That's Why You're Tired—Out of Sorts—Have No Appetite.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS will put you right in a few days. They do their duty. Cure Constipation, Biliousness, Indigestion and Sick Headache. SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE.

Genuine must bear Signature

W. L. Wood

Shortening Bird Season. Pennsylvania is the latest of the states to take up the question of shortening the season on game birds, and good reasons for curbing the activities of hunters are presented in a statement of the game commission now being sent to individuals and sporting associations.

Birds are being exterminated under the present laws, and the remedy proposed is in restricting the season to one month and changing the date until the birds are full grown and better able to take care of themselves.

What particular hardship would there be in ordering a close season for two, three or five years and then seeing that the law is rigidly enforced? Quail and other game birds need more protection than the existing laws have given them, and if all the states would agree upon an adequate program of conservation the country would be benefited by the saving of the food products now destroyed by insects.

—Providence Journal.

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# PUT QUESTION BACK TO PAPA

Small Boy Rather Had the Best of Joke Initiated by the Head of the Family.

Theodore Chapin, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chapin of 2430 North Tuller, has wisdom far beyond his actual six years of existence. Theodore is just recovering from an attack of typhoid fever, and, naturally, has been placed on a limited diet, which by the way he observes with remarkable fortitude. One evening recently he was invited out for dinner by a young friend, and on his return home, Mrs. Chapin asked him what he had to eat. He began slowly to enumerate those things which the doctor had given him permission to eat, but, with true motherly instinct, Mrs. Chapin knew that he had omitted one thing. She knew that there was one thing that her son was passionately fond of, and that was fried potatoes, which the doctor had said should not be eaten.

"Now, Theodore, you had some fried potatoes also, didn't you?" asked the mother.

"Well, yes, I believe we did," he reluctantly confessed, and after a few minutes he looked up and said: "I'll tell you, it takes a fellow with lots of brains to get ahead of my mother."

Mrs. Chapin told her husband of the conversation, and next morning, at the breakfast table, the father looked at Theodore and said: "I'll tell you, it takes a fellow with lots of brains to get ahead of mother."

The young son looked up quickly, and, with a knowing twinkle in his eye, asked: "Now, papa, what have you been trying to put over on me?" —St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

# SUFFERED FOR FOUR YEARS.

Mr. J. M. Sinclair of Olivehill, Tenn., writes: "I strained my back, which weakened my kidneys and caused an awful bad backache and inflammation of the bladder. Later I became so much worse that I consulted a doctor, who said that I had diabetes and that my heart was affected. I suffered for four years and was in a nervous state and very much depressed. The doctor's medicine didn't help me, so I decided to try DODGE'S KIDNEY PILLS, and I cannot say enough to express my relief and thankfulness, as they cured me. Diamond Dinner Pills cured me of Constipation."

DODGE'S KIDNEY PILLS, 50c. per box at your dealer or DODGE'S MEDICINE CO., Buffalo, N. Y. DODGE'S DYSPEPSIA TABLETS for indigestion have been proved. 50c. per box.—Adv.

# HAVE YOU PICKED A LEMON?

English Writer Not Altogether Complimentary in His Remarks on Marital Happiness.

Arnold Bennett, the famous English novelist, talks about how men feel when they are engaged or married. They realize that they have married human beings instead of divine goddesses, Bennett says.

"The process of reasoning is not scientific, and inevitably it must bring disillusion, which means complications. The disillusion is precipitated by the universal instinct to over-estimate that which one desires and to under-estimate that which one has got. See the young husband as he watches his newly acquired wife enter a friend's drawing room. His anxiety, which he often inadequately conceals, is touching. Aforetime, the entrance of that same young woman into a drawing room never caused him the slightest apprehension. On the contrary, it filled him with delight and thanksgiving. Then, her imperfections, if she had any, somehow constituted a perfection. If she was tactless, her silences were beautifully expressive. If she gabbled, the stream of chatter was delicious. If she was awkward, a secret grace was in her awkwardness. But now that he has got her, the vain fellow is intensely afraid lest she may fail to prove to the world the excellence of his taste."

—Woman's Home Companion.

# A Juvenile Tyrant.

"Why do you let the boy play with those costly ornaments? He's bound to break a vase or two?"

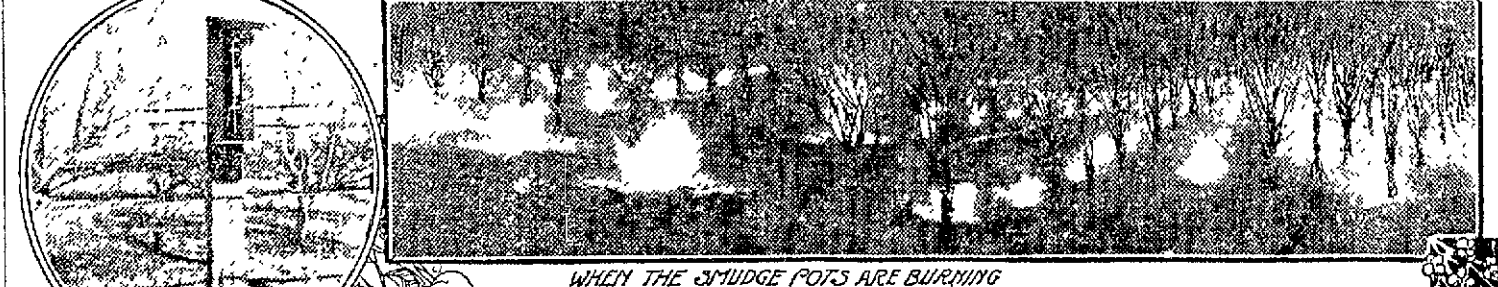
"I can't do anything with him," wailed the distracted mother. "I have to let him have his own way. He threatens to go out and catch the whooping cough if I don't."

—Louisville Courier-Journal.

# Niurud—"How can you tell a deer from a cow?" Guide—"By the farmer's bill."

—Rocky Mountain News.

# SAVING FRUIT FROM FROST



WHEN THE SMUDGE POTS ARE BURNING

ONE BUSINESS END OF FROST ALARM, THE THERMOMETER

How up-to-date orchardists protect their crops and laugh at the ghost of bankruptcy by using smudge pots to drive away killing cold during the blossoming period : : : : :

By Robert H. Moulton

IT IS the last two years another and a greater triumph of scientific horticulture has arrived; another natural enemy of the things that grow and bring forth fruit has been vanquished. Jack Frost, long king of the fruit crop, has been defeated. Fruit growers have literally built millions of fires under him, and burned him out.

Scientific orchard heating has made it possible to raise the temperature of a 200-acre orchard ten to fifteen degrees with as much certainty as the janitor can heat the city man's flat. It takes somewhat more labor than the last mentioned process, but the satisfaction and the profits of "heating all outdoors" are surprisingly greater. Frost insurance for the fruit crop is now just as practicable, just as certain, and vastly more profitable for the money expended than either fire or life insurance.

Insurance by fire for the fruit grower makes vastly greater profits at a much smaller expense than insurance against fire does for the merchant or manufacturer. The little outdoor oil stoves and coal furnaces that have been sold by the millions to orchard owners in the last year and a half have banished from the fruit grower that annual early spring nervous prostration from fear of frost; that periodic, paralyzing fear that he may go to bed at night and awaken to find his whole year's labor chilled to death by a sudden frost. The cumulative despair of losing three or four fruit crops in succession that has put fruit growers out of business and made them dependent on charity or day labor is past. An orchard with a reasonably industrious and provident owner can be made to yield an average crop every season so far as the frost is concerned. Scientific frost fighting with fire is as much a fact as seed testing, irrigation, fertilizing, spraying or pruning. It is the last and greatest advance in systematic horticulture, and has placed the fruit grower abreast of the scientific farmer.

Since the beginning of commercial horticulture, the fruit grower has been at the mercy of the elements. He made all his calculations, all his plans, all his business arrangements contingent on the hope that the frost would miss him. And before the development of orchard heating the chances against him were getting worse in the frost belt. In the modern, commercial orchard, the land, machinery, labor, spraying equipment and cultivation total as heavy an investment as many manufacturing enterprises. And when two or three crops in succession were wiped out by frost, the average grower was completely bankrupt.

Smudging, or the formation of a dense blanket of smoke over the orchard, had been practiced with varying degrees of success in some parts of Europe. Orchard heating proper was first used in California, and the original California smudge pot is still successfully employed in many orchards. In the spring of 1910 several growers in the Grand valley of Colorado experimented with the burning of oil in simple pots of the "smudge" type, with the result that they saved their entire crop on the heat-treated and lost it on the untreated tracts. The spring of 1911 saw the adoption of the smudge pots on every fruit section of the state, and they reached the experimental stage in several other states. In the spring of 1912 there was not a fruit growing state without them, and many sections of several states were as fully equipped as Colorado.

Frost fighting is not an easy job. It is necessary to have a force of men, industrious and careful and observing to the last degree. And it is no pleasant task to tush out into the stiff, cold darkness to drudge the better part of the night to save your own or your neighbor's orchard. In the early days of orchard heating, a man was detailed to watch the tested thermometers that were hung in different parts of the orchard and at the farmhouse some distance away from the fruit trees. If the temperature was not sinking fast, perhaps the rancher went to bed for a brief nap, setting his alarm clock to wake him at intervals through the night. Nowadays he can go to bed with a feeling of security, leaving the frost alarm thermometer to watch for him. This electric watchman has for its business end in the orchard a specially made thermometer, with a narrow platinum wire fused into the mercury at the freezing point or at whatever the mercury sinks below this wire, the circuit is broken and the alarm at the head of the orchard boss' bed rings out its warning. Any interruption of the current causes the bell to ring so that the apparatus should be put out of order it automatically tells on itself.

But the orchardist is usually forewarned, even before he goes to bed, and makes ready for the fray. Late in the afternoon he notices great fleecy clouds hurrying from the northwest, chased by a better wind which seems to have been intended for January, rather than this April night. He goes to the post office for the day's mail and in every window sees the warning of the diligent local government weather forecast: "Freezing temperature tonight." By seven o'clock the government thermometer is at 37 and falling fast. At 7:30 o'clock he telephones the weather man and gets the reply: "Better cold all over the country; temperature is already down to thirty-seven in many parts of the valley and will drop to twenty degrees on the western slope of Colorado tonight." By eight o'clock it has fallen to 32, his alarm begins to ring and he knows that King Frost with his icy-fingered warriors is marching on the camp. Steam whistles are beginning to shriek all through the valley to warn the grovers of the all-night siege. Farm wagons laden with coal and oil tattle past, giving evidence that the laggards who have been hoping to the last are beginning to get their heating machinery into action. Already the early ones are firing heavily. Clouds of smoke hang low over the trees, and the little spots of fire beneath punctuate the blackness with rays of hope.

The orchard firemen dash for the trees, a torch in one hand, and a gasoline can to and in quick lighting in the other. Dashing a few drops of gasoline on the trees they apply the torch, and the blaze is at work. The lighting is done as fast as the men can walk through the orchard, leaving a trail of smoke and fire behind them. In fifteen minutes each man has his tract of orchard transformed into a sea of flame under a cloud of smoke.

Then comes the first period of rest. The men gather in the packing house or barn, for lunch or smoke, making occasional trips to the thermometers to see that the fire is doing its work. By 9:30 o'clock the thermometers outside the orchard register 25, and those in the area of heat show a comfortable 37. Then the first fighters know that the battle is half won, for keeping up the temperature is a good deal easier than raising it when it has once reached the limit. The rest is a matter of vigilance. If the heater is of the regulated type, with enough fuel to burn through the night or longer, a few men are left to watch and open the burners wider if a later sudden fall of temperature shows that more fire is needed. If the heaters are of the uniform single-burner type, they may need to be refilled when they are nearly burned out, if the frost battalion should come back for another charge. The outside thermometers drop to 24, and those in the orchard stand at 30, the danger mark of the orchard frost fighter. The heaters are opened wider, or refilled if burning low, and the mercury shoots up to 33. The slight degrees of frost have been driven away, and if the oil supply is plentiful, and the labor unflagging, the orchardist may now consider the battle won. When the sun has shed his rays over the trees long enough to make the outside temperature more nearly that of the orchard, the heaters are shut off by merely putting on the covers.

Heating in the spring of 1911 was much easier than that of the year before, and proved more conclusively than ever the effectiveness of the fires. The crop in the Colorado fruit area for 1911 averaged about 55 per cent. The untreated orchards

yielded from 20 to 75 per cent of a crop, while the yield of the protected orchards was from 95 to 100 per cent, so heavy that thinning was necessary in many of them.

Individual testimony to the efficiency of orchard heating in every fruit growing state could be multiplied indefinitely. Fruit crops valued at \$250 to \$750 an acre were frequently saved at a cost of seven to ten dollars an acre. One Colorado grower, for instance, with 50 heaters to the acre raised the temperature of his 40-acre orchard from 18 to 28 degrees and produced 41 cartloads of apples.

One of the most remarkable stories of heater success comes from Missouri. A 240-acre orchard located in a deep valley had suffered severely from frost every year and had not produced a full crop for 14 years. Against the advice of all wise-aces two brothers from Kansas City bought it, and equipped it with 5,000 heaters of the controlled or graduated type. With 35 or 40 pots to the acre, the firing was done for four nights at the time the apples were in bloom. They harvested a crop of 35,000 barrels, valued at \$45,000, and it was the only crop in that fruit-growing territory. The net profit on each acre approximated \$200.

The first cost of installing an oil-heating plant is higher than for a coal or wood outfit, but the results in time saved and efficiency gained have made it the most popular fuel. Oil can be obtained in quantity at prices ranging from four to seven cents a gallon and it makes a quick, strong and easily controlled heat. One man can care for from three to five acres of orchard for four or five hours and this is about as long as it will be necessary to burn under ordinary frost conditions. The prices of the oil heaters range from twelve cents for a simple "lad-pull" type to 45 cents for one of the controlled fire-area type, holding three gallons and burning at full capacity for ten or twelve hours, or even longer if regulated for a smaller blaze.

MONKEY FLESH HIS ONLY MEAT.

Too proud to beg, and finding himself on the verge of starvation because of the impoverishment of his noble family in Europe, Count Franz Lazaretti, a renegade man well known in Central America, went to a jungle near Managua, Nicaragua, and kept himself alive for five months by eating monkey flesh and roots and berries, according to reports to marine corps headquarters there.

A party of United States marines while on a big game hunting expedition discovered the titled renegade and took him back to the Nicaraguan capital.

The count, half starved and nearly mad because of the privation he had suffered, fought his rescuers and begged them to let him remain in the jungle, the reports say. The marines overpowered him, however, and are now attempting to nurse him back to health and reason at their commodious barracks in the American legation.

Tree Stump as Lamp-Post.

In a Pasaden, Cal., front yard there stands an old gnarled stump about ten feet high. Near the top are the stubs of two branches. The owner of the property lately conceived the idea of using the stump for a lamp-post, and in the top at the end of each branch he has placed electric light bulbs, connected with the powerhouse in the usual way. The result has been picturesque in the extreme, especially on a very dark night.

Life's a Tender Thing and is Easily Molested.

There is always something that goes amiss. Vain vexations—vain somethings, but always vexations. The smallest and slightest impediments are the most piercing; and as little letters most tire the eyes, so do little affairs most disturb us.—Montaigne.

FROM ALL OVER

New Zealand has an annual death rate of less than one per cent.

Britain contains 13,000 interned German prisoners.

New South Wales, Australia, is expected to receive a large immigration from the United States after the war.

Weather, Edward Raymond placed a cake of ice in a rocky cove in Lake Keuka, N. Y., and soon caught eight fine fish.

The efficiency of the steam turbine has increased 35 per cent in the last two or three years.

Vehicles resembling light automobiles, but without motors, are used in some Swiss mountain resorts for a sport resembling tobogganing in snowless seasons.

The first lighthouse on this continent was built in 1715, at the entrance of Boston harbor, by the province of Massachusetts, and was supported by light dues on all incoming and outgoing vessels, except coasters. Several other lighthouses were built by the colonies.

Owing to the presence of a new power factory, Barksdale township, Wisconsin, will have \$118,000 tax money to spend the coming year, where hitherto the entire expenses of running the township government, road building and all, have not exceeded \$8,000.

Petley G. Candler of Brighton, Me., sold a rooster to a resident at the other end of the village, and carried the fowl in a bag to his new home. The next morning the rooster showed its way in its old home, having traced its way across the entire village.

Poison, like, so-called, lying near Douglas, Ariz., has been found impregnated with nothing more dangerous than opium salts, and a company has been formed to extract that medicine from its waters. There are but few wild animals in the neighborhood.

A new automobile tire is composed of an elastic composition resembling rubber built up around a frame of rattan or other similar vegetable matter.

Nicotine is found in only one plant besides tobacco—a large shrub known to botanists as Duboisia hopwoodii, which is native to the interior of Australia.

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Missouri's 16 parking plants for the year ending June 30 had an output valued at \$36,963,000.

St. Louis has one factory which will this year consume 100,000,000 feet of lumber.

Don't worry about your work. Do your best. Let the rest go and smile all the time.—Max

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With a single exception, every member of President Wilson's cabinet began life as a boy in some small country town. Making the best use of early opportunities, they developed their talents by study, steadily working their way through school, and in most cases, through college, toward that broader experience in the affairs of life which ultimately fitted them to become "cabinet timber." Their example should be an inspiration to those who, being born and raised in the small country town, are likely to consider their surroundings as unfavorable. If a youth has ambition and energy, he will surely find the gate of opportunity open. In no part of the world have there been finer illustrations of the development of self-reliance, prudence, concentration, and those other traits of character than in the country town or village.—Christian Herald.

Valuable Wolfram Deposits.

Volfram deposits of a promising character, both in quantity and quality, are now being worked extensively by the companies of the Miramichi river in New Brunswick. The American consulate has been informed by the owner of the property that preliminary operations have resulted in the discovery of three veins, and that one of these, 26 inches thick, is now undergoing active development.

The Explainer.

"How do you account for the fact that people who heard you speak voted the other way?"

"It's all due to the innate suspicion of human nature," answered the spellbinder. "My eloquence is so overpowering that they became fearful of being hypnotized and forsook me."

Often Happens.

"What's the matter with that infant industry?"

"Got infantile paralysis."

Paraguay has a new meat-packing establishment.

Give Himself Away.

He—But, my love, I can't live without you.

She—Poor thing. Haven't you any trade?

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Think back four years. All rubber boots were black. They were none too well. Then Goodrich came along with their new rubber boot, decided to build boots in SOLID ONE-PIECE, WEAR-RESISTING CONSTRUCTION like Goodrich Auto Tires.

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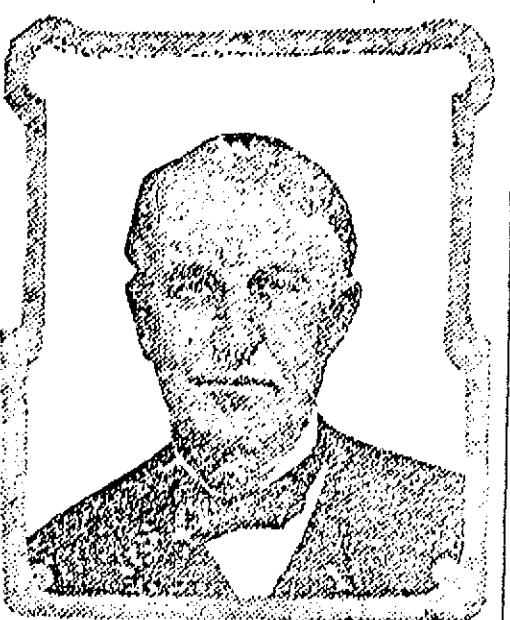
"VOTE AS AMERICANS"—  
FOR WILSON, SAYS EDISON

No Time Now to Try an Inexperienced  
Man, Declares Inventor, Leadi-  
ng President.

By GEORGE CREEL.

"Times are too serious to talk in  
terms of Republicanism or Democracy.  
Parties are all right, reckon we've  
got to have them with our system of  
government. But when it's America  
that's at stake, men have got to vote  
as Americans, and not as Democrats  
or Republicans."

This is the message to the American  
people that Thomas A. Edison gave to  
me in a recent interview.  
"This man Wilson has had a mighty  
hard time of it," he continued. "I don't



THOMAS A. EDISON.

believe there was ever a president  
who had as many big questions to  
decide. They have come in bunches.  
He hasn't always pleased me, just as  
I suppose he hasn't always pleased  
other people, but when you look the  
record over, it's so good that criticism  
comes close to being nothing more  
than cheap fault finding.

"A fool or a coward would have had  
the United States in all sorts of  
trouble. As it is, we are at peace, the  
country was never more prosperous,  
and we have the strength that comes  
with honor and integrity of purpose."  
"Had we recognized Huerta, it  
would have served notice upon the  
world that the United States, while  
believing in democracy for home use,  
was willing to stand for despotism  
where other peoples were concerned.  
President Wilson's Mexican policy has  
been wise and just and courageous.

"Belgium? Hindsight! In the light  
of two years, it's easy to say what  
should have been done. But at the  
time, not a single paper or a public  
man even thought of anything but  
keeping the United States out of the  
European horror."

"As I said at the start, it has just  
been one big thing after another with  
Wilson. I never have known so many  
dangerous questions brought up for  
decision to any one President."

"Look at the threatened general  
railroad strike. If carried through, such  
a strike would have thrown the whole  
country into confusion."

"In my opinion, Mr. Hughes, if  
President, would have found it difficult  
to decide on the best course for the  
government to take in such matters.  
His capacity for hindsight, as we learn  
from his speeches, is highly developed,  
but as to his foresight, we are not  
equally well informed."

"They say Wilson has blundered.  
Perhaps he has. But I notice that he  
usually blunders forward."

"Mr. Wilson now has had about four  
years of experience, and I think that  
he has earned faith and trust. I do  
not think it a sensible thing to change  
to an inexperienced and untried man.  
Therefore, I am for Woodrow  
Wilson."

"BIG BUSINESS" VS.  
THE FARMER

The owners of grain elevators are,  
thanks to Governor Philipp, enjoying  
a very substantial reduction in their  
tax receipt. A bill changing the  
method of taxation from a personal  
property tax on the grain on hand  
on May 1st to an occupational tax  
has resulted in a total reduction in  
the tax on grain elevators in a half  
dozen cities in the state of over  
\$100,000 annually. That bill was,  
of course, signed by Governor Philipp.  
It is a part of the record of his ad-  
ministration, which you don't find in  
his platform on which he is seeking  
re-election. The reduction in the tax  
on grain, very peculiarly applies only  
to grain in elevators, but leaves the  
tax on grain in farmer's barns at the  
old rate.

ONE OF THE GOVERNOR'S  
GIFTS TO "BIG BUSINESS"

The most important act of the last  
legislature in the service of "private  
interests" was the passage of the  
Akeley water power bill, which sur-  
rendered a great public resource to  
private interests. This bill was  
signed by Governor Philipp, and  
voted for by practically every one of  
his followers in both houses of the  
legislature. The great public loss,  
and corresponding private gain is  
shown in the granting of but one  
franchise by the present railroad  
commission, in which the value of  
the raw water power right of the  
Wisconsin power project near Eau  
Claire, was fixed at over \$1,200,000,  
exclusive of all improvements. The  
same site was purchased in 1913 for  
\$50,000, and under the Husting law,  
reppealed by the passage of the pres-  
ent law, would have been valued at  
that sum. The increase represents  
the surrender of public property to a  
private corporation, and the obliga-  
tion of the public to pay a return on  
his amount in perpetuity.

JOSEPH WHEIR, Jr.

Candidate for County Treasurer on  
the Democrat Ticket



Mr. Wheir was born in Wood county  
and has been a resident of this city  
practically all his life. He is one of  
the business men of Grand Rapids  
and has held the office of City Treas-  
urer, and is standing on his record.  
He will appreciate your vote on  
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Wausau Pilot: An action has been  
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charge of desertion and non-support  
of herself and minor child. She also  
asks for the care and custody of the  
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Miss Ruth Hutchinson of this city.

W. F. Collins was called to Stevens  
Point the fore part of the week to  
attend the funeral of his sister, who  
died on Sunday at St. Mary's hospi-  
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name was Mrs. Anna Collins Wood,  
was 39 years of age, and since her  
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Olto Thorson, who has been em-  
ployed at the Nekosia-Edwards mill  
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been visiting in Montana, Oregon and  
California, and reports that Wiscon-  
sin looks better to him than any of  
the western states he stopped in.

The Weaver, candidate for govern-  
or on the Socialist ticket, was among  
the pleasant callers at the Tribune  
office on Saturday. Mr. Weaver is a  
resident of Deaver Dam, where he is  
engaged in newspaper work and is a  
very pleasant man to meet. While we  
hardly expect that Mr. Weaver will  
be elected governor of the state of  
Wisconsin, he has our best wishes,  
just the same.

In the prizes awarded at the John-  
son & Hill exhibit and published in  
the Tribune last week, the name of  
John T. Pagel of the town of Rudolph,  
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result was that Mr. Pagel got no  
credit for the things he had exhib-  
ited. His prizes were among the  
Wolf River apples, Wisconsin No. 8  
corn and also one other variety of  
corn. Altho the error was not the  
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There was a real snowstorm on  
Friday afternoon and evening, and  
for a time it looked as if there might  
be some of the beautiful left on the  
ground when it was all over. How-  
ever, it was only a bluff, and the  
weather since then has been quite  
seasonable.

Six young men, all more or less  
peppered with fine shot were brought  
to the hospital in this city last Sun-  
day to be relieved of the pellets that  
were buried deep in their flesh. All  
were residents of a community near  
Thorp. On the night before their ar-  
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they went to a neighbors for the pur-  
pose of carrying on a charivari. Be-  
fore they had time to get their music  
started the man of the house ap-  
peared with a shot gun and fired both  
barrels into the crowd wounding no  
less than ten of the party, but none  
fatally. One of the party brought  
here had eight shot picked out of his  
head.—Marshfield Herald.

Mrs. Warren Huntsinger of Eau  
Claire is in the city visiting with her  
daughter, Mrs. William Tefau, and  
also her granddaughter, Mrs. Pearl  
Bunzell.

Nekoosa Tribune: While return-  
ing from a dance held at Necoosa  
last of our young men miraculously  
escaped serious injury if not death  
when the automobile in which they  
were riding struck a hole in the road  
which recent rains had made on the  
bank Hill and rolled over down the  
embankment. Even the fence which  
guarded this place failed to stop the  
car, and it rolled over once and a  
half landing up against a tree, with  
the engine still running. The boys  
were Carl Stellmacher, Chas. Lee,  
Mark Huber, Jos. Arnold and Jos.  
Wipfli. Not one of them received  
more than slight bruises from bump-  
ing against the car, which had its  
top, a lamp, running boards, fenders  
and wind shield damaged beyond re-  
pair.

Woodsmen's wages, like wages in  
all other industries, have been raised  
all over the country. At Duluth com-  
mon laborers are being paid \$35 a  
month and board. Teamsters and  
loaders get \$45, former pay was \$25  
to \$30. About 11,000 men will be  
employed in the Minnesota woods  
this winter.

Speaking of advertising, here is  
what some of the publishers charge  
for space: Ladies' Home Journal,  
\$8 per line, \$104 per inch and \$6,000  
for a full page in a single issue. A  
full page advertisement in the Sat-  
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costs \$5,000 and the back cover sells  
for \$7,000. The center double page  
in color is \$12,000. As their adver-  
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these big prices, or the firm wouldn't  
continue to make the expenditures.  
—Manitowoc Daily Herald.

Legal Blanks for sale at this office

Official Presidential Ballot

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| JOHN G. REUTEMAN.....       | JOHN A. BERG.....           | HENRY JOHNSON.....          | CLARENCE A. SACKETT...      |                             |                             |
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| THOMAS H. RYAN .....        | BYRON E. VAN KEUREN..       | WALTER C. OWEN.....         | GERRIT T. THORN.....        |                             |                             |
| United States Senator—      | United States Senator—      | United States Senator—      | United States Senator—      | United States Senator—      | United States Senator—      |
| WM. F. WOLFE.....           | CHARLES L. HILL.....        | ROBERT M. LaFOLLETTE..      | RICHARD ELSNER.....         |                             |                             |
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| JOHN KALMES.....            |                             | EDWARD E. BROWNE.....       | CHARLES KIESNER.....        |                             |                             |
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| EARL C. HOEHN.....          |                             | ISAAC P. WITTER.....        |                             |                             |                             |
| Member of Assembly—         | Member of Assembly—         | Member of Assembly—         | Member of Assembly—         | Member of Assembly—         | Member of Assembly—         |
| AMBERT MICHAELS .....       |                             | BYRON WHITTINGHAM....       |                             |                             |                             |
| County Clerk—               | County Clerk—               | County Clerk—               | County Clerk—               | County Clerk—               | County Clerk—               |
| M. T. NOBLES.....           |                             | SAM CHURCH.....             |                             |                             |                             |
| County Treasurer—           | County Treasurer—           | County Treasurer—           | County Treasurer—           | County Treasurer—           | County Treasurer—           |
| JOSEPH P. WHEIR.....        |                             | CLAUS JOHNSON.....          |                             |                             |                             |
| Sheriff—                    | Sheriff—                    | Sheriff—                    | Sheriff—                    | Sheriff—                    | Sheriff—                    |
| RED BEELL.....              |                             | JOHN NORMINGTON.....        |                             |                             |                             |
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| CHARLES KRASKE.....         |                             | A. B. BEVER.....            |                             |                             |                             |
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| B. EDWARDS.....             |                             | JOHN ROBERTS.....           |                             |                             |                             |
| Register of Deeds—          | Register of Deeds—          | Register of Deeds—          | Register of Deeds—          | Register of Deeds—          | Register of Deeds—          |
| JOHN HOFFMAN.....           |                             | HENRY EBBE.....             |                             |                             |                             |
| Surveyor—                   | Surveyor—                   | Surveyor—                   | Surveyor—                   | Surveyor—                   | Surveyor—                   |
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Need Only Trust to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, says Mrs. Kurtzweg.

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"If you, now of any young woman who is sick and needs help, ask her to write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lowell, Mass. Only women will receive her letter, and it will be held in strictest confidence.

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Shortening Bird Season. Youngsters are in the habit of making up the question of short or open seasons on game birds, and good reasons for curbing the activities of hunters are presented in a statement of the game commission now being sent to individuals and sporting associations.

Birds are being exterminated under the present laws, and the remedy proposed is in restricting the season to one month and changing the date until the birds are full grown and better able to take care of themselves.

What particular hardship would there be in ordering a close season for three or five years and then seeing that the law is rigidly enforced? Quail and other game birds need more protection than the existing laws have given them, and if all the states would agree upon an adequate program of conservation the country would be benefited by the saving of the food products now destroyed by insects.

Providence Journal.

Foreign hogs find no market in Brazil.



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## PUT QUESTION BACK TO PAPA

Small Boy Rather Had the Best of Joke Initiated by the Head of the Family.

Theodore Chaplin, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chaplin, 2540 North Talbot, has wisdom far beyond his actual six years of existence. Theodore is just recovering from an attack of typhoid fever, and, naturally, has been placed on a limited diet, which, by the way, he observes with remarkable fortitude. One evening recently he was invited out for dinner by a young friend, and on his return home, Mrs. Chaplin asked him to enumerate those things which he had eaten, but, with true mother instinct, Mrs. Chaplin knew that he had omitted one thing. She knew that there was one thing that her son was passionately fond of, and that was fried potatoes, which the doctor had said should not be eaten.

"Now, Theodore, you had some fried potatoes also, didn't you?" asked the mother.

"Well, yes, I believe we did," he reluctantly confessed, and after a few minutes he looked up and said: "I'll tell you, it takes a fellow with lots of brains to get a hot one out of my mother."

Mrs. Chaplin, and next morning, at the breakfast table, the father looked at Theodore and said: "I'll tell you, it takes a fellow with lots of brains to get a hot one out of my mother."

The young son looked up quickly, and, with a knowing twinkle in his eye, asked: "Now, pop, what have you been trying to put over on her?"

—Indianapolis News.

## SUFFERED FOR FOUR YEARS.

Mr. J. M. Sinclair of Olivehill, Tenn., writes: "I strained my back, which weakened my kidneys and caused an awful bad backache and inflammation of the bladder. Later I became so much worse that I consulted a doctor, who said that I had diabetes and that my heart was affected. I suffered for four years in a nervous state and very much depressed. The doctor's medicine didn't help me, so I decided to try Dodd's Kidney Pills, and I cannot say enough to express my relief and thankfulness, as they cured me. Diamond Dinner Pills cured me of constipation."

Dodd's Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets for indigestion have been proved. 50c. per box—Adv.

## HAVE YOU PICKED A LEMON?

English Writer Not Altogether Complimentary in His Remarks on Marital Happiness.

Arnold Bennett, the famous English novelist, talks about how men feel when they are engaged or married. They realize that they have married human beings instead of divine goddesses, Bennett says.

"The process of reasoning is not scientific, and inevitably it must bring disillusion, which means contemplation. The disillusion is precipitated by the universal instinct to over-estimate that which one desires and to under-estimate that which one has got. See the young husband as he watches his newly acquired wife enter a friend's drawing room. His anxiety, which he often inadequately conceals, is touching. Aforetime, the entrance of that same young woman into a drawing room never caused him the slightest apprehension. On the contrary, it filled him with delight and thanksgiving. Then, her imperfections, if she had any, somehow constituted a perfection. If she was tactless, her silliness were beautifully expressive. If she gabbled, the stream of chatter was delicious. If she was awkward, a secret grace was in her awkwardness. But now that he has got her, the value follows is intensely afraid that she may fail to prove to the world the excellence of his taste."

Woman's Home Companion.

## A Juvenile Tyrant.

"Why do you let the boy play with those costly ornaments? He's bound to break a vase or two?"

"I can't do anything with him," wailed the distressed mother. "I have to let him have his own way. He threatens to go out and catch the whooping cough if I don't."

Louisville Courier-Journal.

Nitured—"How can you tell a deer from a cow?" Guide—"By the farmer's bill."—Rocky Mountain News.

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# SAVING FRUIT FROM FROST



WHEN THE SMUDGE POTS ARE BURNING

ONE BUSINESS END OF FROST ALARM, THE THERMOMETER

How up-to-date orchardists protect their crops and laugh at the ghost of bankruptcy by using smudge pots to drive away killing cold during the blossoming period.

By Robert H. Moulton

WITHIN the last two years another and a greater triumph of scientific horticulture has arrived; another natural enemy of the things that grow and bring forth fruit has been vanquished. Jack Frost, long king of the fruit crop, has been dethroned. Fruit growers have literally built millions of fires under him, and burned him out. Scientific orchard heating has made it possible to raise the temperature of a 200-acre orchard ten to fifteen degrees with as much certainty as the janitor can heat the city man's flat. It takes somewhat more labor than the last mentioned process, but the satisfaction and the profits of heating outdoors are surpassingly greater. Frost insurance is now just as practical, just as certain, and vastly more profitable for the money expended than either fire or life insurance.

Insurance by fire for the fruit grower makes vastly greater profits at a much smaller expense than insurance against fire does for the merchant or manufacturer. The little outdoor oil stoves and coal furnaces that have been sold by the millions to orchard owners in the last year and a half have banished from the fruit grower that annual early spring nervous prostration from fear of frost; that periodic, paralyzing fear that he may go to bed at night and awaken to find his whole year's labor chilled to death by a sudden frost. The cumulative despair of losing three or four fruit crops in succession that has put fruit growers out of business and made them dependent on charity or charity has been put to rest.

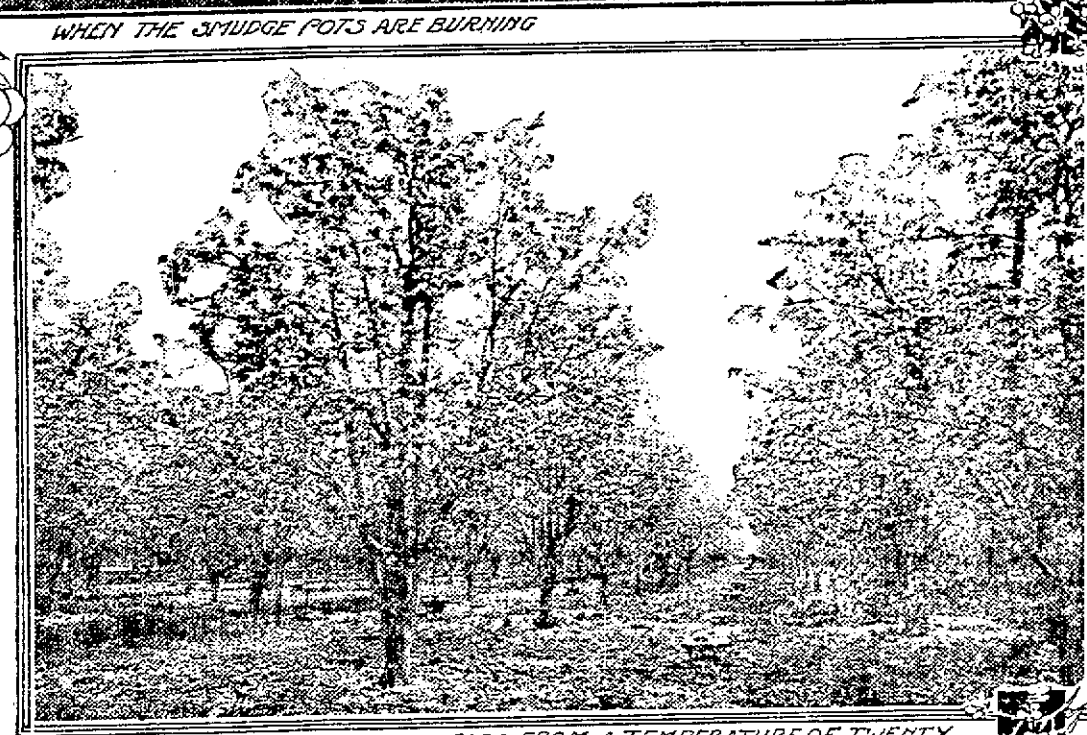
An orchard with a reasonably industrious and provident owner can be made to yield an average every season so far as the frost is concerned. Scientific frost fighting with fire is as much a fact as seed testing, irrigation, fertilizing, spraying or pruning. It is the last and greatest advance in systematic horticulture, and has placed the fruit grower abreast of the scientific farmer.

Since the beginning of commercial horticulture, the fruit grower has been at the mercy of the elements. He made all his calculations, all his plans, and his business arrangements contingent on the hope that the frost would miss him. And before the development of orchard heating the chances against him were getting worse in the frost belt. In the modern, commercial orchard, the land, machinery, labor, spraying equipment and cultivation total as heavy an investment as many manufacturing enterprises. And when two or three crops in succession are wiped out by frost, the average grower was completely bankrupt.

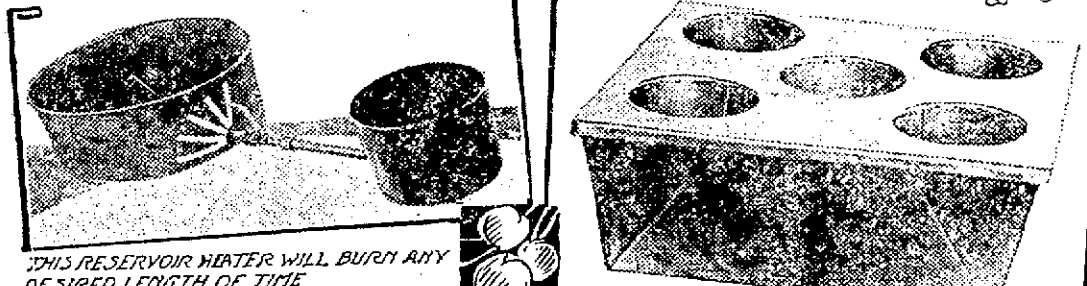
Smudging, or the formation of a dense blanket of smoke over the orchard, had been practiced with varying degrees of success in some parts of Europe. Orchard heating proper was first used in California, and the original California smudge pot is still successfully employed in many orchards. In the spring of 1910 several growers in the Grand valley of Colorado used the "lard-pot" type, with the result that they saved their entire crop on the heated acres and lost it on the unheated tracts. The spring of 1911 saw the adoption of the smudge pots on every fruit section of the state, and they reached the experimental stage in several other states. In the spring of 1912 there was not a fruit growing state without them, and many sections of several states were fully equipped as Colorado.

Frost fighting is not an easy job. It is necessary to have a force of men, industrious and careful, and observing to the last degree. And it is no pleasant task to rush out into the still, cold darkness to drudge the better part of the night to save your own or your neighbor's orchard. In the early days of orchard heating, a man was detailed to watch the fire, and the heaters were hung in the business end of the orchard, a specially made thermometer, with a fine needle point or whatever the mercury at the danger point. As soon as the thermometer sinks below this wire, the circuit is broken and the alarm at the head of the orchard boss' bed rings out its warning. Any interruption of the current causes the bell to ring so that if the apparatus should be put out of order it automatically tells on itself.

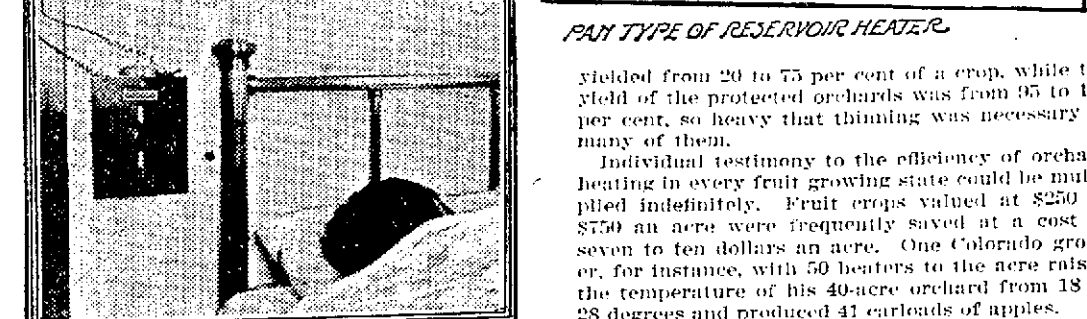
But the orchardist is usually forewarned, even before he goes to bed, and makes ready for the fray. Late in the afternoon he notices great fleecy



HEATERS WHICH JAVED A CROP OF PEARS FROM A TEMPERATURE OF TWENTY



THIS RESERVOIR WATER WILL BURN ANY DESIRED LENGTH OF TIME



THE OTHER BUSINESS END OF FROST ALARM

clouds hurrying from the northwest, chased by a bitter wind which seems to have been intended for January, rather than this April night. He goes to the post office for the day's mail and in every window sees the warning of the diligent local grower tonight. By seven o'clock the government thermometer is set at 37 and falling fast. As 7:30 o'clock the telephone weather man and gets the reply: "Bitter cold all over the country; temperature is already down to thirty-seven in many parts of the valley and will drop to twenty degrees on the western slope of Colorado tonight." By eight o'clock it has fallen to 32, his alarm begins to ring, and he knows that King Frost with his icy-fingered war is beginning to strike all through the valley to warn the growers of the all-night siege. Farm wagons laden with coal and oil rattle past, giving evidence that the laggards who have been hoping to the last, are beginning to get their heating machinery into action. Already the early ones are firing heavily. Clouds of smoke hang over the trees, and the little spots of fire beneath punctuate the blackness with rays of hope.

The orchard firemen dash for the trees, a torch in one hand, and a gasoline can to aid in quick lighting in the other. Dashing a few drops of gasoline on the oil, they apply the torch, and the blaze is at work. The lighting is done as fast as the men can walk through the orchard, leaving a trail of smoke and fire behind them. In fifteen minutes each man has his tract of orchard transformed into a sea of flame under a cloud of smoke.

Then comes the first period of rest. The men gather in the packing house or barn for lunch or smoke, making occasional trips to the thermometer to see that the fire is doing its work. By 9:30 o'clock the thermometers outside the orchard register 28, and those in the area of heat show a comfortable 37. Then the frost fighters know that the battle is half won, for keeping up the temperature is a good deal easier than raising it when it has once reached the limit. The rest is a matter of vigilance. If the heat is of the regulated type, with enough fuel to burn through the night or longer, a few men are left to watch and open the burners wider if a later sudden fall of temperature shows that more fire is needed. If the heaters are of the uniform single-burner type, they may need to be refilled when they are nearly burned out, if the frost battalions should come back for another charge. The outside thermometers drop to 24, and those in the orchard stand at 30, the danger mark of the orchard is lighted. The heaters are opened wider, or refilled if burning low, and the mercury shoots up to 33. The eight degrees of frost has been driven away, and if the oil supply is plentiful, and the labor unflagging, the orchardist may now consider the battle won. When the sun has shed his rays over the trees long enough to make the outside temperature more nearly that of the orchard, the heaters are shut off by merely putting on the covers.

Heating in the spring of 1911 was much easier than that of the year before, and proved more consistently than ever the effectiveness of the fires. The crop in the Colorado fruit area for 1911 averaged about 55 per cent. The unheated orchards

Perley G. Candler of Brighton, Me., sold a rooster to a resident at the other end of the village, and carried the fowl in a bag to its new home. The next morning the rooster showed up in its old home, having traced its way across the entire village.

Poison lake, so-called, lying near Douglas, Ariz., has been found impregnated with nothing more dangerous than arsenic, and a company has been formed to extract that medicine from its waters. There are but few wild animals in the neighborhood.

A new automobile tire is composed of an elastic composition resembling rubber built up around a frame of rattan or other similar vegetable matter. Nicotine is found in only one plant besides tobacco—a large shrub known to botanists as *Duboisia hopwoodii*, which is native to the interior of Australia.

Owing to the presence of a new powder factory, Barksdale township, Wisconsin, will have \$118,000 tax money to spend the coming year, where hitherto the entire expenses of running the township government, road building and all, have not exceeded \$8,000.

Slight Misunderstanding. Lawyer—Have you ever seen the prisoner at the bar? Witness—No, sir; but I have seen him many times when I strongly suspected he had been in front of it.

Real Unkind. Hazel—They say Miss Overton passed as a bird in society last winter. Almee—But of what a century plant?

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W. L. Douglas name and the retail price is stamped on the bottom of all shoes at the factory. The value is guaranteed and the wearers protected against high prices for inferior shoes. The retail prices are the same everywhere. They cost no more in San Francisco than they do in New York. They are always worth the price for them.

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Ask your shoe dealer for W. L. Douglas shoes. If he can't, write to me with the kind you want, take in other shoes, and I will send you a pair of W. L. Douglas shoes, with return mail, postage free.

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W. L. Douglas Shoe Co., Brockton, Mass.

Missouri is picking plants for the year ending June 30 had an output valued at \$93,624,000.

St. Louis has one factory which will this year consume 100,000,000 feet of lumber.

Don't worry about your work. Do your best. Let the rest go and smile all the time—Max.

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The Explainer. "How do you account for the fact that people who heard you speak voted the other way?"

"It's all due to the innate suspicion of human nature," answered the speaker. "My eloquence is so overpowering that they become fearful of being hypnotized and forsake me."

Often Happens. "What's the matter with that infant industry?"

"Get infantile paralysis."

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The "Self-Made" Rubbers—20,000,000 pairs sold without a lick of advertising. They give double wear—that's why.

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Monday on business errands. Mrs. Robert Sanger and daughter Elsie of Grand Rapids were guests at the Hass home on Sunday. Miss Marjorie Brost and Master Harold Brost visited the Lohrer home Sunday at Day. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. James Casey Jr., on Wednesday, October 12, a daughter. School opened in district No. 2 in the new school house October 10, with Miss Hanson as teacher. Mrs. Frank Pribbenow of Grand Rapids is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Hass, and other relatives here this week. Mrs. Joseph Hand was called to Reedsburg Tuesday last to care for her mother who is seriously ill.

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# Three More Days Left

The First National Bank's Campaign Nearing Its Close

Saturday the 28th, will bring this unique campaign to a close

Are you one of those far seeing parents who have appreciated the advantage of encouraging their children in the habit of saving?

Has your boy or girl received one of these desirable Eastman cameras as a souvenir of the first savings account?

If not, act at once. This is the last advertisement that will appear. Saturday is the last day upon which the souvenir will be distributed.

The First National Bank takes this opportunity to cordially thank both the parents and the young people of this vicinity for helping to make this campaign so successful.

We shall always value highly the accounts which have been started with us on this plan, and we hope to see them accumulate and to have a decided effect upon the future of Wood County.

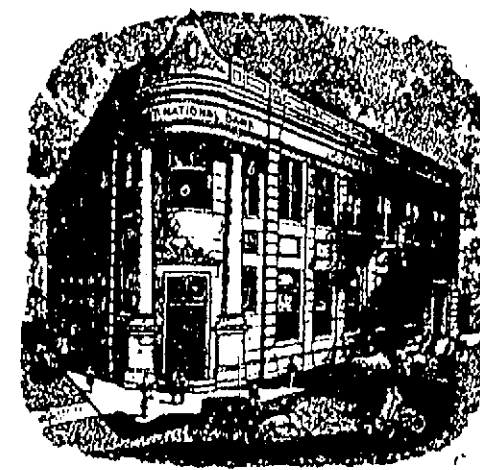
As a last word, we again invite the accounts of all those who have not taken advantage of our offer, to begin now the habit of saving, and to receive one of these excellent cameras FREE.

## FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Grand Rapids, Wisconsin.

3 per cent  
Interest

Start  
Now



## The Citizens National Bank

Grand Rapids, Wis.

### Double Your Dairy Profits This Year

#### Sell Your Grain—Keep Your Cows!

Grain is too high to feed to cows—at least in the old way. Stop feeding them corn and oats and bran. Sell these cash crops and take a big profit while grain prices are high. But don't sell your cows. Let the other fellow do that if he likes—but you hang on to yours. For milk is going to be high, too, and you can produce your milk this year cheaper than you ever did before—if you

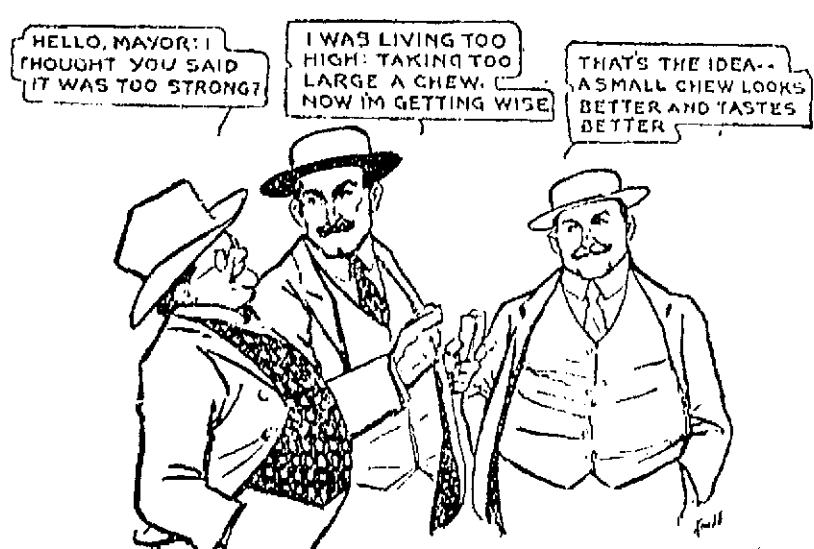
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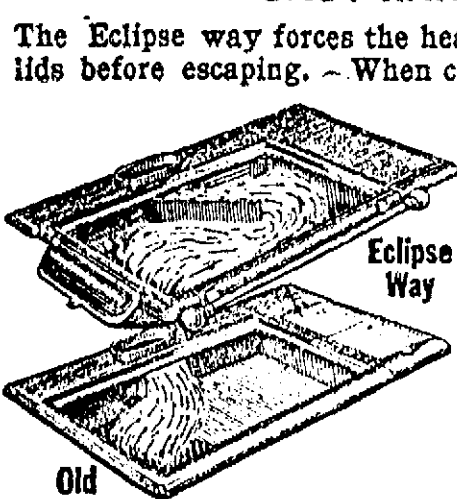


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older school buildings top and bottom bolts were used for the standing leaf of the double exit doors. According to these orders, these bolts will have to be removed and such hardware as described therein substituted.

At the Edison school the closet under the main front stair may be used for storing your storm windows if you will provide metal lath and plaster for the under side of the wooden stair.

Very truly yours,  
Industrial Commission.

(Signed) E. W. Callen, assistant Building Inspector.

Moved by Commissioner Natwick and seconded by Commissioner Ragan that the communication be referred to the Committee on Buildings and Grounds with power to act. Motion carried unanimously.

The following bills were then presented:

Schroeder & Miller, repairs and Howe school fire escapes \$2,090.47

Green Bay & Western R. R. Co., freight on coal..... 155.24

P. S. Gill, varnishes, paints, oil, and glass..... 873.52

Wood County Telephone Co., rental and tolls, 3 months..... 36.40

P. W. Jones, milk, Domestic Science, May..... 8.50

Johnson & Hill Co., supplies 3 months..... 66.60

Grand Rapids Tribune, printing..... 18.00

The First National Bank, interest, 3 months..... 352.50

Wm. P. Hess, plumbing..... 72.00

Orelli Doughty, sweeping compound..... 15.00

Normington Bros., laundry..... 9.92

J. W. Natwick, window tape and repairs..... 37.22

Link & Werle, meat, Domestic Science..... 6.57

Siewert & Edwards, balance, Domestic Science..... 1.73

Dr. J. J. Looze, medical services, Russell Alpine..... 2.50

Mrs. G. S. Deardsley, Domestic Science supplies..... 4.91

George Waterman, labor..... 1.00

J. E. Farley, plumbing..... 14.40

J. A. Staub, electrical supplies and repairs..... 44.28

Kellogg Bros. Lumber Company, lumber for repairs..... 174.10

Grand Rapids Street Railroad Co., 5 books tickets..... 25.00

Nash Hardware Co., plumbing..... 170.80

Grand Rapids Foundry Co., repairs and supplies..... 108.00

C. W. Schwede, telephone tolls and registrations..... 9.51

A. J. Hasbrouck, livery..... 1.50

B. F. Nason, repairs..... 6.30

The Reporter Print Shop, printing..... 33.00

W. A. Marling Lumber Co., lumber..... 6.00

Faltz, A. Schmidt, repair of chimneys..... 104.23

Wisconsin Paper & Specialty Co., toilet paper and towels..... 181.00

Thomas Charles Company, kindergarten and school supplies..... 140.40

Rand McNally & Co., maps, Edison School..... 32.00

The Barrett Company, disinfectants..... 72.75

J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co., janitor's supplies..... 42.04

Associated Manufacturers Co., janitor's supplies..... 308.49

West Disinfecting Company, telephone..... 8.10

North Western School Supply Company, supplies..... 5.50

Welch Manufacturing Company, apparatus and supplies..... 49.85

The Sterling Products Company, cement floor coating..... 23.35

The Prang Company, drawing supplies..... 150.34

The Arthur H. Clark Company, books..... 10.00

S. Y. Gillan & Co., registers..... 16.50

Baker Paper Company, supplies..... 8.88

D. Appleton & Co., supplementary readers..... 8.04

The Daily and Weekly Leader, printing..... 25.00

Wm. Dahlke, labor on furnaces, Lincoln..... 18.00

Schroeder & Miller, Howe school fire escape..... 1,312.72

J. E. Farley, plumbing..... 20.40

Wm. H. Barehill, freight and drayage..... 40.18

McCamley & Ponnalville Hardware Company, hardware..... 47.06

H. T. Liebert, Howe school fire escape plans..... 105.15

R. L. Nash, 1,000 stamped envelopes..... 21.23

Moved by Commissioner Babcock and seconded by Commissioner Johnson that bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for same. Motion carried unanimously.

The committee on Teachers and Texts then made the following report:

The Board of Education, Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, September 11, 1916.

Gentlemen:—The Committee on Teachers and Texts has the following report to make:

At the meeting of the Committee on Teachers and Texts in the Wood County National Bank on August 23, 1916, at 4:30 p. m., it was decided to recommend the following to the Board of Education at the regular meeting on September 11, 1916:

as recommended by the City Superintendent be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

Moved by Commissioner Reeves, seconded by Commissioner Hatch, that the report be accepted and placed on file.

Motion made and carried that the Committee on Buildings and Grounds look into the matter of providing a paper press for the school.

The following report on Text Book Funds was then presented and, on motion, referred to the Finance Committee.

Text Book Report, First Semester 1915-1916

To Books on hand \$ 381.51

To paper on hand.. 140.89

To books and paper added..... 1653.72

To mid-year surplus 129.56

To cash on hand..... .37

\$2305.05

By books and paper on hand..... \$ 775.81

By desk copies given. 28.82

By magazines bought 69.48

By books and paper sold..... 1371.49

By freight and express paid..... 47.05

By balance on hand. 13.40

\$2305.05

Text Book Report, Second Semester 1915-1916

To books and paper on hand..... \$ 775.81

To books and paper sold..... 735.82

To cash on hand..... 13.40

Applied toward book exchanges..... 24.17

\$1,549.20

By books and paper on hand..... \$712.94

By desk copies given 11.41

By magazines bought 18.75

Brought forward..... \$743.10

By books and paper sold..... \$787.28

By freight and express paid..... 18.70

By balance on hand.. .03

\$1,549.20

Upon motion, Commissioners Babcock and Witter and the City Superintendent were designated as a committee who, together with the Finance Committee, are to take up the matter of the school budget for 1916-17 with the Mayor and Common Council of the city.

The president appointed the following Finance Committee: W. H. Reeves, chairman, Mrs. Sam Church, Jacob Senlis.

Motion to adjourn was then carried. (Signed) Isaac P. Witter, President of Board of Education. (Signed) C. W. Schwede, Clerk of Board of Education.

CAMPING OUT IN AUTUMN

Camping out—the love of outdoor life—must be in the American blood. Nothing is more unaccountable, from one point of view, than the sudden gravitation toward the camp, which has taken place in the last ten years. The sleeping porch, the dining porch, the camp, the tramping tour, all have children and grand children of people become commonplace among the who considered "the night air" deadly and feared to sit upon the ground lest they catch "lung trouble." And there is no more pleasant time than the autumn for camping out.

It is a wholesome development, however, and it is unlikely that we shall ever go back to the old germ-trap type of home. Modern invention has reflected the movement as it does everything else, and one of the most useful of its devices is the enameled ware, unbreakable, yet attractive out-of-door tea set and dinner set. When everything from a child's mug to an after-dinner coffee cup can be had in attractive shades of enameled ware, one source of worry—broken dishes—is removed from the camper, and the wrong vegetables in metal—another—poisoning due to cook-also becomes nil.

The ideal camp outfit includes a complete set of enameled dishes packed compactly in a basket, each dish, cup, spoon and plate having its own place. If a small dressmaker's bag is added, hot food can be carried anywhere on an automobile or driving trip. If the party is on a walking tour with no commissariat vehicle, each member can carry his own cup and plate without finding it a burden. Even living out of doors, it is possible to have meals clean and daintily served, and that without extra trouble.

Oct. 19. STATE OF WISCONSIN, WOOD COUNTY IN COUNTY COURT

In re Estate of Frank A. Kloster, deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the term of said court to be held on the fourth Tuesday of November A. D. 1916, at the court house in the city of Grand Rapids, county of Wood and state of Wisconsin, there will be heard and considered, the application of Mac Kloster to admit to probate the last Will and Testament of Frank A. Kloster, late of the town of Sherry in said county, deceased, and for the appointment of an executor.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that at the term of said court to be held at said court house on the fourth Tuesday of February, 1917, there will be heard and considered all claims against said Frank A. Kloster deceased.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that all such claims or demands for allowance must be presented to said county court at the court house in the city of Grand Rapids in said county, and state, on or before the 20th day of February A. D. 1917, or be barred.

Dated this 17th day of October A. D. 2016.

W. J. CONWAY, County Judge.

D. D. Conway, Attorney.

reduced from preventable disease and reduced liability to premature death. And yet there is no heritage that a parent can leave his children equal in value to a sturdy and competent physique. Your boy and mine will be able to meet every ordinary requirement of living providing he has sterling physical equipment and a reasonably well trained mind. Doubtless you've thought and said the same thing dozens and dozens of times, but what have you done about it?

Have you ever attempted to organize the parents of your neighborhood to demand of the school board, the county supervisors and the common council that sufficient money be appropriated to buy the health assurance that a small amount of public money will provide? Or have you been among the citizens who are feared by office holders whenever they appropriate money to the health department. In a word, have you dreamed of health, been indifferent about efforts to secure it, or actively fought for it as you have for the money that goes into meat, vegetables, or that new automobile?

You and I may succeed in making a fair living on our own individual energies and abilities. But you and I can succeed in checking the ravages of tuberculosis, pneumonia, infantile paralysis, and many other contagious diseases only by co-operation.

PLEASEANT HILL

A temperance program will be given at the church Sunday evening, November 5, at 8 o'clock, consisting of songs, recitations, etc. Everybody invited.

Lawrence Lohrer received \$400 for his field of cabbage. Can you beat it?

C. R. McKee and family spent Sunday with P. H. Likes.

Mrs. Helen Davis is having her house painted. Her nephew of Milwaukee is doing the work.

Edwin Kellerman has his new barn about completed.

Henry Simonson and Miss Hattie Fredricks and Joe Peterson and Miss Helen Lohrer attended the show at Pittsville Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Platts spent Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. Hoy and granddaughter of Beaver Dam arrived last Wednesday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Peller.

Pred Fox and family auloc to Dexterville Sunday.

Mrs. Otto Kellman of Waukegan arrived Wednesday last for a visit with her parents.

Mrs. Gladys McManners and two children and niece Miss Helen Linn of Black River Falls arrived Monday for a visit with relatives.

George Zentner, the butter and cheese man, is laid up with a sprained wrist.

Mrs. Hendrickson of Pittsville spent Sunday with her son Will.

Ernest Dawos erected a silo a short time ago and is finishing his new barn at the present.

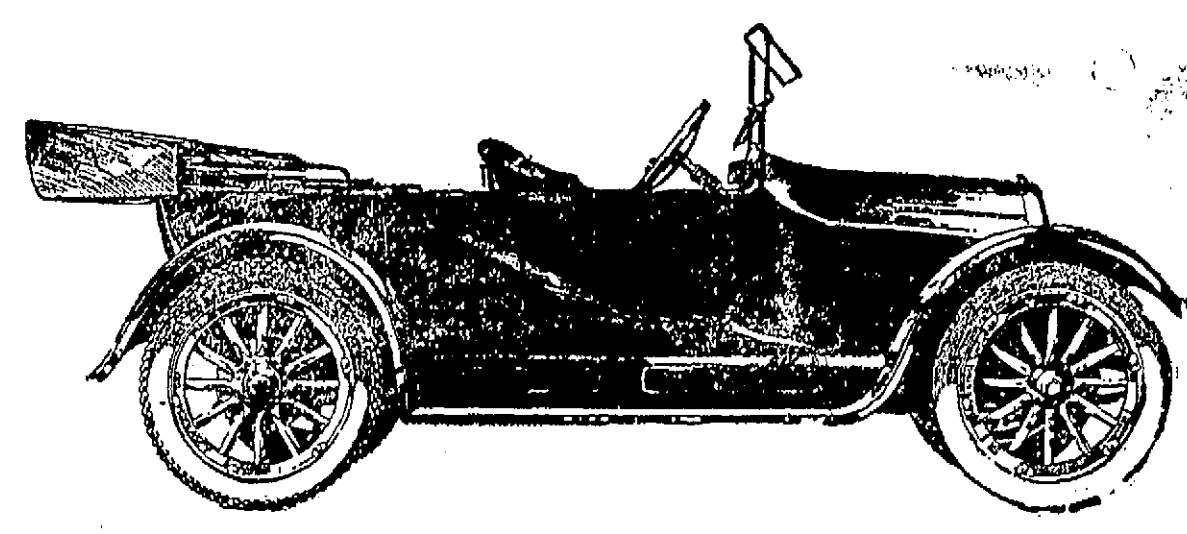
Mr. and Mrs. W. Buchanan are re-joining over the arrival of a son, born Wednesday, October 11, 1916.

Mrs. Reid and granddaughter Zeila left last week for Minnesota where she will join her husband on a homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pinning went to Grand Rapids last week to have some dental work done.

FOR SALE.—One black gelding, 4 years old; sound. Also some purebred S. C. Rhode Island Red cockerels. P. H. Likes.

FOR SALE.—Some fine Holstein bulls and heifers from untested and tested cows. Remember the Pontiac's. Our sire grandson of Pontiac Korndyke. Also young team of horses cheap. Hogarty Holstein Farm, Antwa, Wisconsin.



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## WANT COLUMN

**HOUSE FOR RENT**—One block from St. Paul depot. John Mosher. 11-12

**WANTED**—Experienced girl for general housework in family of two. No washing. Mrs. R. M. Rogers. Phone 258.

**FOR SALE**—One fresh milk cow, age 5 years. Call 4011. A. A. Molendenaar. 11-12

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**WANTED**—A girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Geo. B. Miller, 8th St. South. Phone 745. 11-12

**WANTED**—Young girl for candy counter. Saturday only. Howard's Variety Store. 11-12

**LOST**—Black and white fox terrier, Oct. 5, answers to the name of Bess. Finder notify John Schwenk, Phone 52. 11-12

**FOR SALE**—Fine 80-acre farm. Must be sold immediately. For particulars inquire at this office. 4-12

**FOR RENT**—A suite of rooms suitable for office or living rooms, over Otto's Drug Store. Inquire of Ed Poinville. 11-12

**FOR SALE**—Registered Guernsey bull calf, 4 weeks old. Kronsheim Bros. Farm, Grand Rapids, Wisconsin. R. D. 4. 11-12

**FOR SALE**—My Ford touring car fully equipped with self-starter. In fine shape. Ray Johnson. 11-12

**HOUSE FOR RENT**—One block from St. Paul depot. John Mosher. 11-12

**WANTED**—Girl for general housework. Telephone 438 before 5 p. m. After 5, call 421. 11-12

**FOR RENT**—House at 10th Washington Ave. by Peter Schuetz, R. 5, Grand Rapids, Wis. 11-12

**THE 207-ACRE FARM**—With improvements for sale cheap and on easy payments. Will take some Grand Rapids property in exchange. L. Amundson. 11-12

**LOST**—Friday, Oct. 20, 7-months old black and white pig, answers to name of Jimmie. Finder notify Stanley Pae, Port Edwards, or phone Port Edwards meat market. Reward offered. 11-12

**LOST**—A tan rain coat some time Saturday night on Vesper road. Finder will receive reward by returning to Mrs. Charles Natwick. 11-12

**FOR SALE**—Four room house and lot near furniture factory. Frank March, 11, 2nd Ave. N. 3rd. 11-12

**FOR RENT**—Modern 5 and 6 room flats with bath. Janitor service and hot and cold water year round. Steam heat. Apply to Taylor, Scott & Daly. 11-12

**CABINET MAKERS & MACHINE HANDS WANTED**—On bank, store and office fixtures. Steady work, good wages, no labor troubles. Apply to C. E. Kade Fisher & Show Case Co., Plymouth, Wisconsin. 11-12

**FOR SALE**—Two bay horses about 1400 lbs. each, 5 and 6 years old; one black mare, 1200 lbs., 2 years old; two black mare colts, one year old the 10th of last June, also one spring colt born the 20th of April. These animals will be sold very reasonable. A. E. Valila, R. 2, Box 79, Grand Rapids, Telephone 441. 11-12

**FOR SALE**—Some fine Holstein bulls and heifers from untested and tested cows. Remember the Pontiac. Our strain of grandeur of Pontiac. Also young team of horses cheap. Hogarty Holstein Farm, Antwa, Wisconsin. 11-12

**FOR SALE**—40-acre farm with modern improvements, known as the Molendenaar farm, 4 miles from city in town of Sigel. Good cheap if taken at once. \$1,000 down with interest at 5 per cent will take the place. Wm. C. Crossland, Ingleswood Farm, R. 4. 11-12

**FOR SALE**—Classy, speedy and powerful Buick roadster. Fine mechanical shape. Cheap. Inquire at this office. 11-12

**FOR SALE**—Driving horse. Emil Henke, 18th Ave. North. 11-12

## TESKA-MIDDLESTAD

Miss Annetta Teska, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reinhold Teska of the town of Sigel and Mr. Otto Middlestad of this city were married on Wednesday afternoon at St. John's Lutheran church in the town of Sigel, Rev. Gleselman performing the ceremony. Miss Sophia Middlestad acted in the capacity of bridesmaid and Mr. Wm. Teska was best man. After the ceremony the guests went to the home of the bride's parents where a fine dinner was served and at the conclusion of this the many guests present engaged in merrymaking. A number of the young people are well and favorably known in this city and have many friends here to wish them a happy journey thru life. After a short wedding trip spent in Chicago and Milwaukee, the bride and groom will return to this city to make their home.

## A SICKLY BOIN EVERY MINUTE

It was a rich harvest that a gang of Minneapolis grangers reaped while it lasted on the prairie of south central Illinois. The party would send them 10 cents and write five letters to friends. It seems that thousands bit on the scheme, and the postoffice authorities report that as much as \$5,000 in money was received in a day. Although an effort has been made to locate those at the head of the scheme, it is impossible to do so. Where the sender has his name on the envelope the letters are returned but this cannot be done where there is no address.

## FIXED UNDER HOG RACK

Charles Horn, a farmer living north of Plover, Wis., was fixed from his wagon on the way home from market last Saturday evening and pinned under a hog rack in such a manner that his face was buried in the ground, and he had a narrow escape from being smothered. A farmer near where the accident occurred rendered him assistance, and after considerable work the man was restored to consciousness, but it was a narrow escape from death. A companion with him was unable to render any assistance.

## WILL SPEAK HERE MONDAY

The Hon. J. Addison Campbell of Chicago, an orator of more than passing ability, will be in this city on Monday evening next to speak at the G. A. R. hall before the Wilson Club. Mr. Campbell is not only a good talker but he will be on hand to fill the date, and those who want to hear a good speech should make it a point to be present at the meeting that night.

## NEW DOCTOR HERE

Dr. O. N. Mortensen, who has been located in Green Bay for some time past, has rented office rooms in the Nash block and arrived in the city Saturday and has since been busy settling his office into shape for the practice of medicine. The doctor reports that he is paying particular attention to the surgical end of the business.

## HELD A FINE SUPPER

The ladies of the First Norwegian church held a chicken supper on Wednesday evening and there was a large number in attendance to partake of the good things that were set out. The tables were filled that had been set in the church basement and everybody reported themselves greatly pleased with the fare set forth.

## JURY IS DISCHARGED

Judge Park discharged the jurors on Wednesday, all of the cases on the calendar that will be tried by jury this term having been cleaned up. There are a number of cases that will be tried by the court before the term is over.

## A BIG POTATO

J. B. Peterson of the town of Sigel brought in a big potato on Saturday while in the office to pay his bill for electricity, and the specimen is a good one. It is of the Green Mountain variety, and at the rate potatoes are selling this fall it is worth preserving.

## LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peerenboom returned on Sunday from Appleton where they had been to attend the funeral of Mrs. Peerenboom's foster mother.

Sam Howard burst a blood vessel in his right arm on Monday, the trouble being caused by a fall. The accident will prevent the use of the arm for a time.

The Catholic Lady Foresters held a social session and initiation at the Forester hall on Wednesday evening. Miss Maud Robins of Rudolph was initiated into the order.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoosen of Everett, Washington, who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Gogghus, departed for their western home on Monday.

William Vassor who has been residing at Green Bay the past year, has been transferred to the Nekeosa branch of the Northwestern and will move here with his family.

It is understood that the Nekeosa-Edwards Co. expect to spend a half million dollars on improvements next summer, among which will be the improving of the South Side dam.

The Stevens Point Elks will put on their annual minstrel show at the Normal Auditorium on Monday and Tuesday, October 29 and 31. A number from here will attend the show.

Mrs. Henry Yotter entertained at a miscellaneous shower at her home on Monday evening in honor of Miss Annetta Teska. Refreshments were served and a delightful evening was spent by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond O'Hare left today for Waterloo, Iowa, after spending the past two months with Mr. O'Hare's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kirkland. Mrs. O'Hare was formerly Miss Maymie Kirkland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson and Miss Irma Johnson have returned from an auto trip to Marinette and Green Bay. While at Marinette they were guests at the home of Mr. Wilson, former manager of the Johnson & Hill Co's store.

Mr. and Mrs. John Klein of Wausau have been guests at the Frank Wagner home the past week. This is Mr. Klein's first visit to this city in thirty-eight years and he was much surprised at the wonderful advancement of our city.

Paul Rammerly, who has been employed at the Weeks Marble Works for a number of years, has resigned his position and will leave with his family in a short time for Monmouth where he has purchased a marble works.

Atty. W. E. Wheelan and A. J. Crowns are putting in considerable of their time these days in making campaign speeches thruout the country for the re-election of Robert Wilson. They are both enthusiastic Wilson men and report that the sentiment for his election is very strong in the country.

Miss Eva Lind visited in Fond du Lac several days the past week.

Eppl. Church returned last week from a visit at his old home in Canada.

Mrs. Knute Olson will entertain the Scandinavian Ladies Aid Society on Thursday, November 2nd.

Mrs. C. C. Rowley of Winnebago has been visiting her mother, Mrs. P. P. Daly, during the past week.

Anton Brest, J. Q. Daniels and W. H. Bowden of Babcock were business visitors in the city on Tuesday.

Miss Anna Sandman of Stevens Point spent Sunday in the city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sandman.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tefau were in Marshfield last Thursday to see Dr. Hylke concerning Mrs. Tefau's eyes.

John M. Johnson, one of the solid farmers of the town of Rudolph visited this office with a pleasant call on Saturday.

Mrs. J. Meddeburgh is a patient at the Riverside hospital where she is receiving treatments for inflammatory rheumatism.

W. A. Brazee, who has been visiting relatives in this city and friends at Stevens Point, left on Friday for his home in Spokane.

Mrs. John Grignon has received word from Washington that her pension has been increased to \$30 per month under the new law.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daly drove over to the neighborhood of Neillsville on Sunday to visit with Miss Jeanette, who is teaching over there.

James Berrall of Britt, Iowa, was in the city on Wednesday to interview the Road Construction company in regard to some dredging business.

We handle Abstracts of Title, Loans, Collections, Real Estate and Fire Insurance. Come in and see us. Ed Poinville. Office in the Mackinac block. 31

Harry Kempfert, superintendent of the Grand Rapids Street Railway Co., spent several days the past week visiting with his mother at Appleton and looking after some business matters.

The Elks have rigged up a shower bath in the basement of the club house, and it is possible that other appliances may be installed in time which will encourage the members to take exercise.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Boyington made a trip to Westfield on Sunday by motorcycle. They had a breakdown at Friendship and had to wait until repairs were brought down from this city.

N. Welland of Appleton, who has been a guest at the homes of his daughters, Mrs. J. B. Arpin and Mrs. N. Welland, and son, H. B. Welland, the past week, returned to his home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Brown of Tomahawk visited at the Brown home on Eighth street during the past week. While here they purchased an inner player Cable-Nelson piano from Mrs. George Porrand.

W. H. Carey and Will Meyer arrived on Monday from Bartlesville, Oklahoma. Mr. Meyer having been suffering from a nervous prostration that he hopes to recover from by taking a rest up in this country.

Paul Zimmerman was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Saturday. Mr. Zimmerman was in the city to meet his daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Keyes of Minneapolis, who was coming down to attend the wedding of her sister.

W. H. Heath, who has been the local news editor of the Reporter for a number of years past, has severed his connection with that paper and left on Tuesday for Chilton where he will affiliate himself with one of the papers in that city.

The evident thing to do before your property burns is to eliminate worry by insuring in the right companies, with the right agent. Insist on one of our fire insurance policies. See Edward Poinville, dealer in Real Estate and Insurance. 31

G. H. Munroe of Kellner has recently exchanged his telephone exchange by the addition of nine more phones. He has also put in another circuit between his place and this city, thereby giving his patrons better service than they had before.

Neil Grignon, who is serving in the U. S. Navy on board the battleship Texas, has been visiting friends and relatives in this city during the past week. Mr. Grignon has been a member of the navy for several years past and likes the work in fine shape.

Mrs. David Porrand and daughter of Madison spent last week in this city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Porrand. They, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Porrand of this city left yesterday by auto for Mauston where they will visit with relatives.

W. L. Smith of Neillsville has been selected by the Republicans of Clark county as assemblyman to fill the vacancy caused by the death of their candidate, C. M. Bradford. Among the candidates for the place was R. W. Monk of Neillsville, who was defeated at the primaries by I. P. Witter.

Wausau Pilot: An action has been commenced in circuit court by Mrs. Ruth A. Burnell for a divorce from her husband, Chas. Burnell, on a charge of desertion and non-support of herself and minor child. She also asks for the care and custody of the child. Mrs. Burnell was formerly Miss Ruth Hutchinson of this city.

W. F. Collins was called to Stevens Point the fore part of the week to attend the funeral of his sister, who died on Sunday at St. Mary's hospital in Oshkosh. Deceased, whose name was Mrs. Anna Collins Wood, was 39 years of age, and since her marriage in 1903 has made her residence in Chicago. The funeral was held on Wednesday at Stevens Point.

Otto Thorson, who has been employed at the Nekeosa-Edwards mill at Port Edwards the past eight years, departed Saturday for Cloquet, Minnesota, for a weeks visit before going to Millwood, Washington, where he goes to accept a position as head cooker in the paper mill there. He was accompanied by Riley Denton, who will work with him.

A party of young people who were supposed to be lost, strayed or stolen, was subsequently accounted for by appearing on the scene and stating that they had been stuck in the mud in the wilds of Adams county, down in the Big Flats country. They started out Sunday evening and were unable to get home that night, but showed up Monday afternoon, none the worse for their experience.

Herman Heiser of the town of Sigel called at the Tribune office on Monday while in the city on business. Mr. Heiser was one of the early settlers in this section, having come here more than forty years ago, at which time it was necessary to make the trip from New Lisbon here by stage. Mr. Heiser subsequently took up a farm out in the town of Sigel and has lived there ever since.

Samuel Carrington returned last week from the west where he had been for some time past. He had been visiting in Montana, Oregon and California, and reports that Wisconsin looks better to him than any of the western states he stopped in.

Jac Weaver, candidate for governor on the Socialist ticket, was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Saturday. Mr. Weaver is a resident of Denver, where he is engaged in newspaper work and is a very pleasant man to meet. While we hardly expect that Mr. Weaver will be elected governor of the state of Wisconsin, he has our best wishes, just the same.

In the prizes awarded at the Johnson & Hill exhibit and published in the Tribune last week, the name of John T. Pagel of the town of Rudolph, was printed as Regal, and the result was that Mr. Pagel got no credit for the things he had exhibited. His letters were among the Wolf River apples, Wisconsin No. 3 corn and also one other variety of corn. Although the error was not the fault of the Tribune, we are glad to make the correction just the same.

An exchange says that if we are alive ten years from now and prices of commodities keep climbing, we may expect to write an item something like this: "A town of Yorkville farmer brought a hog, a sack of beans and a bushel of wheat to town today and after selling for cash bought a Ford, a suit of clothes, a dress for his wife and each of his four daughters. The balance of the money, after paying taxes and seven-year back subscription on his home place, he put into the bank for safe keeping. He has two more which time it was necessary to make the trip from New Lisbon here by stage. Mr. Heiser subsequently took up a farm out in the town of Sigel and has lived there ever since."

There was a real snowstorm on Friday afternoon and evening, and for a time it looked as if there might be some of the beautiful left on the ground when it was all over. However, it was only a bluff, and the weather since then has been quite reasonable.

Six young men, all more or less peppered with fine shot were brought to the hospital in this city last Sunday to be relieved of the pellets that were buried deep in their flesh. All were residents of a community near Thorp. On the night before their arrival here, with a number of others, they went to a neighbors for the purpose of carrying on a charivari. The boys here they had time to get their music started the man of the house appeared with a shot gun and fired both barrels into the crowd wounding no less than ten of the party, but none fatally. One of the party brought here had eight shot picked out of his head. —Marshfield Herald.

Mrs. Warren Huntsinger of Eau Claire is in the city visiting with her daughter, Mrs. William Tefau, and also her granddaughter, Mrs. Pearl Bunzell.

Nekoosa Tribune: While returning from a dance held at Necoosa five of our young men miraculously escaped serious injury if not death when the automobile in which they were riding struck a hole in the road which recent rains had made for space. Ladies Home Journal, \$8 per line, \$104 per inch and \$6,000 for a full page in a single issue. A full page advertisement in the Saturday Evening Post in a single issue costs \$5,000 and the back cover sells for \$7,000. The center double page in colors is \$12,000. As their advertising space is always filled, it is evident that advertising pays even at these high prices, or the firm wouldn't continue to make the expenditure. —Manitowish Daily Herald.

Woodsmen's wages, like wages in all other industries, have been raised all over the country. At Duluth common laborers are being paid \$35 a month and board. Teamsters and loaders get \$45, former pay was \$25 to \$30. About 11,000 men will be employed in the Minnesota woods this winter.

Speaking of advertising, here is what some of the publishers charge for space: Ladies Home Journal, \$8 per line, \$104 per inch and \$6,000 for a full page in a single issue. A full page advertisement in the Saturday Evening Post in a single issue costs \$5,000 and the back cover sells for \$7,000. The center double page in colors is \$12,000. As their advertising space is always filled, it is evident that advertising pays even at these high prices, or the firm wouldn't continue to make the expenditure. —Manitowish Daily Herald.

Legal Blanks for sale at this office

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By a few days of mild weather, for our old friend Winter is liable to start his annual donation any day. Are you prepared?

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Medium and heavy weight, rich, colorful fabric, skillfully tailored, finely trimmed and neatly fitted to you

**\$13.50 to \$28.00**

**OVERCOATS**

A wealth of assortment, style, fabric, color and finish to please anybody. If it isn't here, it isn't in town

**\$12.50 to \$28.00**

**UNDERWEAR**

That really fits, doesn't bind and lasts long, medium and heavy, various grades

**\$1.00 to \$4.00**



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## TWO KILLED WHEN TRAIN IS DITCHED

ENGINEER AND FIREMAN MEET  
DEATH IN TRAIN WRECK  
NEAR MANITOWOC.

### BELIEVE WORK OF LUNATIC

Fifth Attempt to Cause Disaster to  
Flier Is Successful and Author-  
ities Seek Inmate Man  
as Perpetrator.

Manitowoc.—Two men were killed when train wreckers caused North-  
western passenger train No. 111, en-  
route from Milwaukee to Ashland, to  
plunge through an open switch, de-  
molishing the locomotive, tender, mail  
and express coaches. The wreck oc-  
curred one-half mile west of Mani-  
towoc.

The dead are: Robert Fitzgerald, 60, engineer, Milwaukee; scalded and  
head crushed. Albert Duchase, 35,  
fireman, Green Bay; mangled and bur-  
ied beneath engine.

Fitzgerald's body, horribly scalded,  
was taken from the wrecked engine  
an hour after the machinations of the  
wreckers took effect. Duchase's body  
was not discovered until the wreckage  
was lifted.

This was the fifth attempt within  
the last two years to "rot" his train.  
Last spring the suspected criminals  
partially accomplished their designs  
when the engine of the same train  
was derailed in the Calumet yards,  
near here. Since that time, officials  
have ordered engineers to run slowly  
when approaching Manitowoc. The  
fact that Fitzgerald obeyed that or-  
der and was holding his engine down  
below twenty miles an hour saved  
passengers' lives. The coaches did  
not leave the tracks.

### KILLED BY STRIKE BREAKER

Chippewa Falls Shoemaker Stabbed in  
Abdomen and Bleeds to Death  
Within a Few Minutes.

Chippewa Falls.—When William No-  
vack, 20, a shoemaker from another  
local factory, attempted to pilfer the  
arms of Mike Vaskas, alleged strike  
breaker from Port in the employe  
of the L. W. shoe company, who it  
is said was striking in all directions  
with a dagger to keep a large crowd  
of union sympathizers away from him,  
Novack was struck in the abdomen  
and bled to death in five minutes.

Vaskas was captured by the police  
in the factory, where he had fled,  
and hurried away in an automobile from  
the enraged crowd to the jail. An-  
other alleged strike breaker was  
arrested and beaten. He was rescued  
by the police.

William Woyenbarg, owner of the  
L. W. factory, left the city when a  
threatening crowd of 500 strike sym-  
pathizers surrounded his home. He  
ordered the factory closed.

### Lost Hunter Returns.

Winter—Henry Krumble, 17 years  
old, who was lost while hunting near  
here, found his way back to civilization  
in the clearing of David Bryant  
after wandering through the woods for  
two days. The first night he was lost  
he slept in a crevice in a tree and  
watched wolf eyes play.

### Aerialist Returns Home.

Stevens Point—Sergeant Felix Kluck,  
a Portage county boy, injured in a  
500-foot aeroplane fall at Eagle Pass,  
Tex., June 13, is at home after five  
months in the hospital. He suffered  
fractures of the skull and collar bone.  
He will be discharged today.

### To Hunt Ferocious Wolf.

Monroe—Farmers near Monticello  
are hoping for the first snowfall, after  
which they will organize a hunt for a  
large and ferocious wolf which has  
been attacking sheep and calves.

### Breaks Neck; Lives Two Days.

Manitowoc—Rudolph Meyer, town  
of two rivers, who suffered a broken  
neck when he was thrown from a col-  
on his farm, died at the hospital two  
days after the accident.

### Bread Up to 7 Cents.

La Crosse.—While most cities in  
Wisconsin are paying 6 cents a loaf  
for bread, bakers announced that the  
price will go up to 7 cents in La  
Crosse.

### Ginseng Growing a Failure.

Madison.—The growing of ginseng  
has been tried in and about the city  
without success. The gardens are  
being abandoned. Langlade county is  
claimed to be the richest ginseng cen-  
ter in the country.

### Arrest Fifteen Speeders.

Portage.—Fifteen automobile drivers  
were brought into justice court here in  
one day charged with violating speed  
ordinances by Sheriff Dreize. Pleas  
of guilty were entered in most cases.

### Oakshosh Assessment Decreases.

Oakshosh.—This city is worth \$32,  
503,170, City Assessor John C. Voss re-  
ports. This is \$18,208 less than the  
1915 assessment, despite an income  
of \$14,435 in real estate income. Bank  
stock owned in Oakshosh is valued at  
\$1,549,260.

### Girl Gets Valuable Pelt.

Barron.—Julia Karlstedt, student in  
Barron High school, has returned from  
Deer Lake, Mich., with the pelt of a  
red fox which she killed while hunting.

### Want Reader of Literature.

Madison.—At a meeting of the board  
of visitors of the University of Wis-  
consin it was recommended for con-  
sideration by the regents that a reader  
of literature be employed at the uni-  
versity.

### Complete New Thoroughfare.

Neenah.—The Nicolet avenue bou-  
levard, dividing this city and Menasha,  
has just been completed. The high-  
way is a mile in length and the finest  
thoroughfare in the Fox valley.

## CONFESSES TO MURDER PLOT

Sheboygan Couple Conspired to Slay  
Mrs. Ernest Aldag, Jr., So They  
Could Wed, Police Say.

Sheboygan.—In a written confession  
to the police, Miss Marie Sadler, 27  
years old, admitted that when she  
made the assault with a cold chisel  
upon Mrs. Ernest Aldag, Jr., it was  
part of a carefully conceived plot to  
do away with the woman so that she  
could marry Mr. Aldag, the authorities  
say.

As a result of these disclosures, Er-  
nest Aldag, Jr., 43 years old, well-  
known hardware merchant, was ar-  
rested. Formal charges of assault  
with intent to do great bodily harm  
were preferred against him and Miss  
Sadler, and bail for each was fixed at  
\$3,000.

Mrs. Aldag received a telephone call  
from her husband, asking her to go  
downstairs to the hardware store and  
give some figures to him over the  
telephone. She had barely entered the  
dark store when she was set upon by  
a woman, who struck her three times  
over the head with a cold chisel. Mrs.  
Aldag managed to wrench the weapon  
from the other woman, who fled.

Suspicion pointed to Miss Sadler,  
and the police took her into custody.  
The girl stoutly professed innocen-  
ce, but under the constant grilling of  
the police, she broke down, the au-  
thorities claim, and made a complete  
disclosure of the alleged plot. Accord-  
ing to the girl, the telephone call and  
the ensuing encounter had been  
planned by Mr. Aldag.

Aldag denied he had conspired with  
Miss Sadler in the attack. He admit-  
ted, however, the police say, that he  
had been on intimate terms with the  
girl for the last year.

## BADGER OFFICERS ON BOARD

Committee Is Named in Regiment  
To Investigate Applications  
for Retirement.

Port San Houston, Tex.—A "pluck-  
ing board" composed of four officers  
has been appointed in the Wisconsin  
regiment to investigate efficiency of of-  
ficers and to recommend their retire-  
ment, if warranted. The board, com-  
posed of Lieut. Col. Peter Plasecki,  
Milwaukee; Capt. Byron Dovernick,  
Appleton; First Lieutenant Peter  
W. S. Shew, and Capt. William  
H. Hill, Oconto, met and after taking  
testimony has recommended the re-  
tirement of three officers, two second  
lieutenants and one first lieutenant.  
Until the findings of the board are ap-  
proved by the southern department,  
they will not be announced.

The first regiment is rejoining  
over the arrival of new recruits to  
replace the white coat tent in  
which the recruits have been living.  
White circular tents were brought  
down from Camp Douglas in July.  
They contained only three-quarters as  
much room as the new square tents  
with pyramidal roof. The entire first  
infantry camp now assumes a more  
military appearance and is in confor-  
mity with the other regimental camps.

## MUCH DAMAGE BY LIGHTNING

September Report Shows Many Barns  
Were Fired in State With Losses  
Aggregating \$117,965.

Madison.—Great damage to barns in  
Wisconsin was wrought by lightning  
during the month of September, ac-  
cording to reports received by State  
Fire Marshal M. J. Cleary. A total  
of eighty barn losses were reported  
for the month, with losses aggregating  
\$117,965. Not all these were destroyed  
by lightning, but fifty-eight losses  
occurred from this cause.

Ordinarily danger from lightning is  
considered rather remote after the third  
summer months are past, but the  
heat prevailing during the early  
half of the month this year led to  
many losses. Of these fifty-eight loss-  
es only one occurred on property that  
was wooded.

A total of 240 fires were reported,  
with aggregate losses of \$440,025.  
This is less than one-half the losses  
reported for August when the total  
reached the unusually high figure of  
\$955,190. September losses in 1915  
were \$357,660.

## Professors Get Raises.

Appleton.—All members of the fac-  
ulty of Lawrence college were granted  
increases in pay voluntarily by the  
board of trustees, as one result of a  
gift to the college by Mrs. Russell  
Sage. Heads of departments who got  
\$1,800 now will be paid \$2,000. Other  
instructors were raised \$100 to \$1,600  
a year.

## Back Broken in Runaway.

Monroe.—Charles Dietz, son of Frank  
Dietz, near Albany, is in a critical con-  
dition as a result of a broken back sus-  
tained when he was thrown from a  
wagon in a runaway.

## Issue Many Hunting Licenses.

Fond du Lac.—Nearly 2,300 hunting  
licenses have been taken out here.  
The total for last season, 3,000, is ex-  
pected to be belated.

## Seek \$500,000 for Highways.

Eau Claire.—At the meeting of the  
county board here next month a resolu-  
tion will be introduced providing  
for a bond issue of \$500,000 to be ex-  
pended for highway work in the coun-  
ty.

## Girls' League Incorporates.

Madison.—The Junior league of Ra-  
cine, organized to interest young women  
in industrial and social problems,  
filed articles of incorporation in the  
office of the secretary of state.

## Cudahy Spends \$168.27.

Madison.—John Cudahy, Milwaukee,  
democratic candidate for lieutenant  
governor, has filed a statement in the  
office of the secretary of state, declar-  
ing that he had spent \$168.27 for cam-  
paign purposes.

## Rob Postoffice Employee.

Racine.—Thieves slugged Charles A.  
Tostevin, postoffice clerk, and robbed  
him of a watch and chain and other  
jewelry while he was on his way home  
from work.

## To Vote Swimming Issue.

Monroe.—Voters of Monroe will de-  
cide at the spring election whether or  
not \$10,000 in bonds shall be issued  
for the purchase of a site and the con-  
struction of a municipal swimming pool.

## Students Aid Relief Work.

Beloit.—Of \$1,000, Beloit college stu-  
dents propose to raise for Y. M. C. A.  
prison camp relief in Europe, \$825  
has been pledged by 200 students and  
instructors.

## FAVORITE BADGER SONG WRITER DEAD

EBEN REXFORD, SHOOTING AU-  
THOR OF "SILVER THREADS"  
PASSES AWAY.

### VICTIM OF TYPHOID FEVER

Gained National Fame By His Songs  
and Books on Floriculture—Was  
Among Those Considered  
State's Greatest Citizens.

Green Bay.—Eben Eugene Rexford,  
68 years old, author of "Silver  
Threads Among the Gold" and other  
songs, hymns and books, died in a  
hospital here after a sickness of three  
weeks due to typhoid fever. He was  
brought here several days ago from  
his home in Shiocton.

Rexford gained national fame by  
his songs and books on floriculture.  
He was a member of the Boston Au-  
thors' club and received degrees from  
Lawrence college and the University  
of Wisconsin. When Gov. Philipp ap-  
pointed a commission to determine  
who was Wisconsin's greatest citizen,  
Rexford was among those considered.  
Former Gov. Howard was chosen, but  
Prof. S. M. Nabcock and Rexford were  
next.

Among his poems (the best loved are  
"Grandmother's Garden" and "Brother  
and Lover"). His book on "Home Flori-  
culture" is known widely. One of his  
famous hymns is "O, Where are the  
Reapers."

For twenty-five years Rexford lived  
at Shiocton, serving the Congrega-  
tional church there as organist. His  
wife died in 1910.

## GUNNERS OFF TO PRACTICE

Three Badger Companies Make Rapid  
Hike to Texas Target  
Range.

Port San Houston, Tex.—The three  
Wisconsin machine gun companies,  
equipped with four Bennett-Moreau  
guns each, have gone to Leon Springs  
to engage in target practice during the  
next two weeks. The companies cov-  
ered the twenty-four miles to Leon  
Springs in one day. In doing so they  
made an extraordinary march.

The companies are commanded as follows:  
First regiment, Capt. Guy D. Rem-  
ick, Milwaukee; Second, Capt. M. C.  
Tomkins, Ashland; Third, Capt. Dan  
L. Remington, Mauston.

The machine guns stand on tripods  
one foot high. They weigh about thirty  
pounds and can be carried easily by  
one man. When carried on the mules  
they are left up so that the gun  
can be put into action in thirty sec-  
onds. Each gun fires clips of thirty  
30 caliber bullets at the rate of one  
shot in two and one-half seconds.  
These guns will fire about 600 to 800  
shots a minute, each bullet capable of  
penetrating forty-eight inches of soft  
pine at 300 feet.

Wisconsin men and officers enjoy  
watching polo games at the post be-  
tween army officers. The officers, in  
their white uniforms and white hel-  
mets, riding their agile ponies, proved  
to be an interesting and unique en-  
tertainment to the Wisconsin men.

Many Wisconsin soldiers attended  
the German-Austrian benefit bazaar  
held at the Beethoven hall by Ger-  
mans of San Antonio.

Football is getting to be the most  
popular game among the men. Nearly  
every company has a ball. Some com-  
panies bought them from funds, others  
got up collections. Punting and drop  
kicking is the most common pastime.  
Cards, checkers and baseball also are  
popular.

## Concert Causes Suit.

La Crosse.—Injury, caused by his  
daughter, Margaret, 9 years old, at a  
municipal band concert, are the basis  
of a \$10,000 suit against the city filed  
by John Smika. The city played by  
lighted by Japanese lanterns. In the  
rush to get them after the concert last  
July, a pole fell and fractured the  
girl's skull. Her life was saved by  
an operation, but it is asserted that  
her mind was impaired.

## Two Assaults at Home.

Racine.—The home of Mrs. Santa  
Parry, whose husband is in jail  
charged with attacking a boarder with  
a razor, was the scene of another as-  
sault. Two unknown men entered the  
house and attacked James, Cassion,  
another boarder, with a revolver butt,  
inflicting serious injuries.

## Spent \$10,000 in Free Rides.

Madison.—The state of Wisconsin  
last year paid out \$10,200 to give coun-  
try school "kids" free rides to school.  
Vouchers totaling this amount have  
been sent out by the department of  
education to many school districts  
throughout the state within the past  
week.

## Famous Catholic Educator Dies.

Milwaukee.—The Rev. Augustus  
Bocho, 71 years old, former pastor of  
Coss church and one of the foremost  
Jesuit educators of the middle west,  
died at the Gesù pastoral residence on  
Grand avenue and Twelfth street after  
a lingering illness of Bright's disease.

## Bread Selling at Six Cents.

Noenah.—Small loaves of bread are  
selling for 6 cents. The raise went  
into effect through co-operative action  
on the part of bakers and dealers.

## Badger Man Is Ambassador.

Sheboygan.—Prof. Garrett A. Drop-  
pers of Williams college, named by  
President Wilson as minister to  
Greece, succeeding George Fred Wil-  
liams of Boston, formerly lived in  
Holland, near here, and has many re-  
latives in Sheboygan county.

## Work for New Y. M. C. A.

Madison.—A campaign for the erec-  
tion of a \$150,000 Y. M. C. A. building  
is now on here. There are 200 work-  
ers in the field collecting money.

## Indorses Playground Issue.

Fond du Lac.—The first formal ac-  
tion of Fond du Lac's reorganized As-  
sociation of Commerce was to pledge  
its united approval of a \$50,000 bond  
issue, proceeds from which are to be  
used on parks and playgrounds.

## Hog Cholera Under Control.

Madison.—Hog cholera in Buffalo,  
Dunn and St. Croix counties has  
caused severe loss in those counties,  
but, now under control, reports  
State Veterinarian O. H. Hanson.

## CHESTNUTTING



WASHINGTON STAR.  
It'll Require the November Frost to Open Them.

## GREEK ROYALISTS RIOT QUAKE IN THE SOUTH

ASSAULT FRENCH SAILORS AND  
ADMIRAL WHO SEIZED FLEET.

Demonstrators Appeal to the U. S. Le-  
gation for Protection From In-  
vadors—Note Given King.

London, Oct. 19.—A Reuter's dis-  
patch from Athens says:  
"The situation appears to be dan-  
gerous. There have been royalist dem-  
onstrations in the streets. Vice Ad-  
miral du Poutre, commander of the  
entente allied fleet in the Mediter-  
ranean, was hissed and a detachment  
of French sailors was driven back by  
a hostile crowd."

"A procession of some 4,000 malcon-  
tents, headed by the Greek and Ameri-  
can flags, stopped outside the Ameri-  
can legation, protested against the  
handling of foreign marines and de-  
manded the protection of the American  
minister, who was absent."

"The demonstrators (then paraded  
the streets, singing the Greek national  
anthem."

Vice Admiral du Poutre has handed  
the Greek government a new note  
of an extremely grave character, says  
a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph  
company from Athens. Following the  
presentation of the note King Con-  
stantine, it is added, came to the cap-  
ital in haste from the royal residence  
at Tatoi.

The railway stations of Athens and  
Piræus, the city hall and the capital  
and the Cavalry barracks have been  
occupied by 1,000 French and Italian  
sailors, while 150 bluejackets with two  
machine guns have been stationed in  
the municipal theater, according to a  
Reuter dispatch from Athens.

## MANIAC WRECKS FAST TRAIN

Engineer Is Killed and Fireman May  
Die of injuries at Manitowoc, Wis.

Manitowoc, Wis., Oct. 21.—The Ash-  
land limited train on the Northwest-  
ern, running from Chicago to Ashland,  
was wrecked in the local yards  
Wednesday night. Engineer Robert  
Fitzgerald of Milwaukee was killed  
and Albert Duchase, fireman, of  
Green Bay, is believed to be buried  
under the wreckage. Several persons  
on the train received minor injuries.  
The wreck was caused by someone  
throwing a switch, after "breaking a  
lock, and turning the switch right in-  
stead of a clear track. The engine  
rolled over on its side and the baggage  
car and tender went into a ditch six  
feet down the embankment. It was  
the fifth attempt in several months to  
wreck this train.

## VON KLUCK IS RETIRED

German Field Marshal, Who Led Drive  
on Paris, Quits Vol-  
untarily.

Berlin, via London, Oct. 21.—Field  
Marshal Alexander H. von Kluck,  
who commanded the right wing of the  
German army in its sweep toward Pa-  
ris in the fall of 1918, has been placed  
on the retired list, at his own request.  
He had never returned to the front  
since he was wounded by shrapnel fire.

## Take U. S. Boat Off Iceland.

London, Oct. 21.—The American  
fishing schooner, Richard W. Clarke  
has been captured in the waters  
around Iceland and taken to Grimsby.  
The schooner Richard W. Clarke mea-  
sures 503 gross tons.

## Naval Station Damaged.

Washington, Oct. 21.—Extensive  
damage to the naval aeronautical sta-  
tion at Pensacola, Fla., by the storm  
that swept the Gulf states was re-  
ported to the navy department in the first  
official report of the storm's effect.

## Hand, Band Leader, Dies.

Chicago, Oct. 20.—Johnny J. Hand  
died a private sanitarium here on  
Wednesday. The famous bandmaster  
was born October 26, 1831, in Wadern  
on the Moselle, a village in the Rhen-  
ish province of Prussia.

## Heide U. S. Controls Guard.

Boston, Oct. 20.—The United States  
circuit court of appeals ruled that  
members of the militia were still in  
service for federal military purpose,  
notwithstanding their failure to take  
the oath.

## To Float Another War Loan.

New York, Oct. 19.—Great Britain is  
to float another war loan of \$250,000,  
in this country. It will be handled  
by J. P. Morgan & Co. The total  
amount borrowed here will be \$1,000,  
000,000.

## Robinson Gets Bonus Check.

New York, Oct. 19.—Wilbert Rob-  
inson, manager of the Dodgers, received  
a \$5,000 bonus check from the owners.  
It was in appreciation for Robinson's  
trick play giving Brooklyn its first pen-  
nant winners in 10 years.

## TWENTY-ONE DIE IN LAKE SHIP WRECK

Whaleback Steamer Colgate  
Founders in Erie Storm.

### CAPTAIN ADRIFT 34 HOURS

Walter Grashaw Rescued From Life-  
Raft Few Minutes After Two Com-  
panions Were Washed Away  
by Huge Wave.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 23.—Another  
tragedy of Lake Erie's "Black Fri-  
day," which cost the lives of 21 men,  
came to light, wave-borne, when a life-  
raft, to which Capt. Walter Grashaw  
of the whaleback steamer James H.  
Colgate had clung since his foundering,  
24 hours before, was picked up off  
Rondani, Canada, and taken to Con-  
neaut, O.

Nineteen men were sucked down to  
death when the steamer foundered  
Friday night off Long Point, opposite  
Erie, and Captain Grashaw's two com-  
panions on the life-raft were washed  
away just as the rescue ship, ear ferry  
steamer Marquette No. 2, came plow-  
ing through the waves toward them.  
Grashaw is the sole survivor of the  
Colgate's crew of 22.

### Two Slip Off Raft.

Human strength and tenacity of  
life succumbed to the deadly cold of  
the waves and their continuous lash-  
ing. Second Engineer Harry Ossman  
and a coal passer, whose name Cap-  
tain Grashaw did not know, slipped  
from the raft just as the Marquette  
swung around to take them off.

The circumstances of their death  
closely paralleled the end of Oscar  
Shipman Saturday morning, when he  
slipped from the rigging of the D. L.  
Flier, sank near Detroit, just as the  
steamer Western States was about to  
take him off and Captain Mattison of  
the Flier.

Now mounting the top of a wave,  
new engineer and his companion  
clung was slightly by the wheelman  
of the Marquette in the afternoon.  
The three figures, rope-entangled, were  
prone on it, and at every onslaught of  
the seas they washed back and forth,  
apparently lifeless.

One Man Remains.  
The captain was notified and the  
ferry steamer quickly directed her  
course toward the bed of jetsome. Just  
as she rounded to, an unusually large  
wave, as if enraged at seeing its  
prey escape, swept over the raft. As  
it receded only one man remained, and  
far too grotesquely twisted figures  
sank slowly beneath the green waters.

Captain Grashaw was lifted from  
the raft and carried, semiconscious,  
to the Marquette's stateroom.

### Master Only Two Weeks.

Captain Grashaw, whose home is at  
2360 East Fifty-ninth street, Cleve-  
land, had been master of the Colgate  
only two weeks.

Among the 21 who lost their lives in  
the wreck, according to Captain Gra-  
shaw, were:  
Second Engineer Ossman of Cleve-  
land.  
Chief Engineer Charles E. Stuffle  
of Solon Springs, Wis.  
Second Mate Georg Coon of Milwan-  
kee.  
Steward Ralph Coon.  
First Mate Larsen.  
Unnamed coal passer, washed from  
the raft.

A short distance from Detroit the D.  
M. Flier foundered and six men went  
to their deaths.

## ROBBERS BLOW BANK SAFE

Thieves Get \$5,000 in Institution at  
Ringwood, Ill., Muffling Noise  
With Canvas.

Ringwood, Ill., Oct. 23.—Robbers  
who entered the Bank of Ringwood,  
one of the Hoy Banking company's in-  
stitutions, broke the combination out-  
side door of the safe, blew open the  
inner door with nitroglycerine, and es-  
caped with all the money in the bank  
except 66 cents, which they dropped  
on the floor in their flight. They got  
about \$5,000. The thieves muffled the  
noise of the explosion with canvases.  
The cashier discovered the loss when  
he went into the bank yesterday to get  
a telephone directory. The loss is cov-  
ered by insurance.



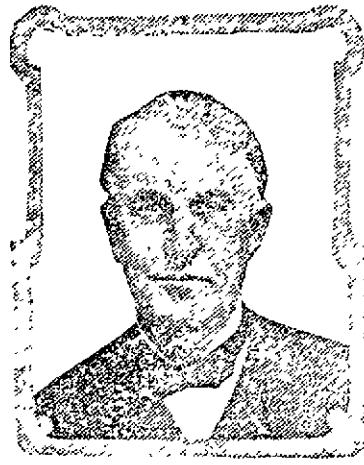
"VOTE AS AMERICANS"—FOR WILSON, SAYS EDISON

No Time Now to Try an Inexperienced Man, Declares Inventor, Leading President.

By GEORGE CREEL. "Times are too serious to talk in terms of Republicanism or Democracy. Parties are all right, reckon we've got to have them to run our system of government. But when it's America that's at stake, men have got to vote as Americans, and not as Democrats or Republicans."

This is the message to the American people that Thomas A. Edison gave to me in a recent interview.

"This man Wilson has had a mighty hard time of it," he continued. "I don't



THOMAS A. EDISON.

believe there was ever a president who had as many big questions to decide. They have come in bunches. He hasn't always pleased me, just as I suppose he hasn't always pleased other people, but when you look the record over, it's so good that criticism comes close to being nothing more than cheap fault finding.

"A fool or a coward would have had the United States in all sorts of trouble. As it is, we are at peace, the country was never more prosperous, and we have the strength that comes with honor and integrity of purpose."

"Had we recognized Huerta, it would have served notice upon the world that the United States, while believing in democracy for home use, was willing to stand for despotism where other peoples were concerned. President Wilson's Mexican policy has been wise and just and courageous."

"Belgium? Hindsight! In the light of two years, it's easy to say what should have been done. But at the time, not a single paper or a public man even thought of anything but keeping the United States out of the European horror."

"As I said at the start, it has just been one big thing after another with Wilson. I never have known so many dangerous questions brought up for decision to any one President."

"Look at the threatened general railroad strike. If carried through, such a strike would have thrown the whole country into confusion."

"In my opinion, Mr. Hughes, if President, would have found it difficult to decide on the best course for the Government to take in such matters. His capacity for hindsight, as we learn from his speeches, is highly developed, but as to his foresight, we are not equally well informed."

"They say Wilson has blundered. Perhaps he has. But I notice that he usually blunders forward."

"Mr. Wilson now has had about four years of experience, and I think that he has earned faith and trust. I do not think it a sensible thing to change to an inexperienced and untried man. Therefore, I am for Woodrow Wilson."

"BIG BUSINESS" VS. THE FARMER

The owners of grain elevators are, thanks to Governor Philipp, enjoying a very substantial reduction in their tax receipt. A bill changing the method of taxation from a personal property tax on the grain on hand on May 1st to an occupational tax has resulted in a total reduction in the tax on grain elevators in a half dozen cities in the state of over \$100,000 annually. That bill was, of course, signed by Governor Philipp. It is a part of the record of his administration, which you don't find in the platform on which he is seeking re-election. The reduction in the tax on grain, very peculiarly applies only to grain in elevators, but leaves the tax on grain in farmer's barns at the old rate.

ONE OF THE GOVERNOR'S GIFTS TO "BIG BUSINESS"

The most important act of the last legislature in the service of "private interests" was the passage of the Achley water power bill, which surrendered a great public resource to private interests. This bill was signed by Governor Philipp, and voted for by practically every one of his followers in both houses of the legislature. The great public loss, and corresponding private gain is shown in the granting of but one franchise by the present railroad commission, in which the value of the raw water power right of the Wisconsin power project near Eau Claire, was fixed at over \$1,200,000, exclusive of all improvements. The same site was purchased in 1913 for \$99,000, and under the Husting law, repealed by the passage of the present law, would have been valued at \$100,000. The increase represents the surrender of public property to a private corporation, and the obligation of the public to pay a return on its amount in perpetuity.

JOSEPH WHEIR, Jr.

Candidate for County Treasurer on the Democrat Ticket



Mr. Wheir was born in Wood county and has been a resident of this city practically all his life. He is one of the business men of Grand Rapids and has held the office of City Treasurer, and is standing on his record. He will appreciate your vote on election day, November 7th.

"COMPLETE ACCORD WITH ROOSEVELT"

HUGHES' FOREIGN POLICY DICTATED BY THE JINGO WHICH HAD BEEN IN THE WHITE HOUSE, SAYS EX-PRESIDENT TAFT, "WOULD HAVE PLUNGED US INTO WAR."

Fact 1—Roosevelt said: "We should not have failed to take any action; by announcing that we would be neutral."

Fact 2—Roosevelt said: "It is wicked thing to be neutral between the right and wrong, i. e., between Belgium and Germany."

Fact 3—Roosevelt said: "The President for 'unlucky' contact" with his negotiations with Germany, and his repeated all of Roosevelt's arguments."

Fact 4—Lodge gave utterance to the same doctrine.

Fact 5—Roosevelt declared he would not accept a nomination at the hands of the Progressive Party if the Republican Party would nominate a man whose foreign policies were in accordance with his own.

Fact 6—On June 10, the Republican National Convention nominated Justice Charles Hughes.

Fact 7—On June 22, Roosevelt said: "They (Mr. Wilson and his party) have fought as they please, the peace of countries and dishonor and indifference to the welfare of others, is to be put above righteousness, above the stern undying performance of duty."

Fact 8—On June 27, Roosevelt said: "In my judgment the nomination of Mr. Hughes meets the (my) condition. No good American can have any feeling except scorn and dejection for those professional German-Americans who seek to make the American President in effect a viceroy of the German Emperor. They represent that adherence to the political system which is the badge and sign of moral treason to the Republic. I am certain that that candidate (Hughes) is incapable of being influenced by the evil intrigues of these hyphenated Americans."

Fact 9—On June 29 Roosevelt and Hughes were at dinner together for two and a half hours.

Fact 10—After that dinner Hughes said: "We talked very fully over all matters AND WERE IN COMPLETE ACCORD."

Fact 11—Three days after that dinner Roosevelt said of Hughes: "His high qualities must recommend him to the esteem of the whole world, particularly to the sympathy of the Allies. He is really would never have suffered the Government of the United States, as one of the signatories to the Hague Treaty, to pass over without protest the violation of Belgium's neutrality by Germany. He would never write two notes on the same offense. He would perhaps issue a warning, but afterwards he would act according to his conscience and for the honor of civilization. This is what he certainly will do, if he becomes the President of the United States."

Fact 12—On August 31, Roosevelt denounced German citizens for "acting as servants and allies of Germany." He condemned the Administration for failing to live up to its duty to resist the invasion of Belgium. He added: "We can put in power an administration which will live up to our national obligations. As between Mr. Hughes and the man who can do it, which is the man who will with austere courage stand for the national duty?"

Fact 13—On September 1, Hughes wired Roosevelt: "I heartily congratulate you on the speech at Lexington and warmly appreciate your effective support" spoke of Roosevelt as "That stalwart American who woke the country"; andaped Roosevelt by saying: "We want deeds to match words. I am not one of the kind that is too proud to fight." On the following day, he stated that he knew what was in Roosevelt's Maine speech, and endorsed every word of it!

Fact 14—Candidate Hughes springs from the most loyal of British stock, the Welsh. His father emigrated from Wales in 1875, barely seven years before Charles was born.

Fact 15—Mr. Hughes naturally sympathizes with England, as does a son of a German immigrant with that country which he lovingly refers to as "Fatherland." It is only natural that Mr. Hughes should stamp his approval upon all that Roosevelt—bater and treacher of German-American citizens—uttered.

Fact 16—If Roosevelt's policy, which Mr. Hughes has accepted without modification, had, for the past 24 months, been the policy of this Government, war with Germany would have been inevitable.

Fact 17—And if we had conquered, we could have obtained nothing more than an apology for wrongs committed, a promise to respect our rights in the future, and a monetary indemnity!

Fact 18—If Mr. Hughes is elected President on this issue, it is notice to all the world that America repudiates her policy of peace for the Roosevelt-Hughes policy of war. Let the issue be not misunderstood. We know, the world knows, that Woodrow Wilson will maintain the peace unless the Nation's honor is assailed. He is no more afraid to fight than a real God-fearing, brave, upright man should be. Thoughtful men know that a President advised by Roosevelt in accord and agreement with Roosevelt, would as soon fight as be right.

PHILIPP'S "REDUCTION" OF COMMISSIONS

The number of departments, boards and commissions in the state government was 52 at the time Governor Philipp was induced into office upon his pledge TO REDUCE the number of boards and commissions. There are exactly that number in existence today. For every department consolidated, a new department, or activity was created. Not a single board or department was abolished as the result of the action of the last legislature. As to these facts there is, and can be no dispute, regardless of any question of efficiency, about which there has been so much argument and dispute.

D. D. CONWAY

ATTORNEY AT LAW Law, Loans and Collections. We have \$2,000 which will be loaned at a low rate of interest. Office over First National Bank, East Side, Grand Rapids, Wis.

Wausau Pilot: An action has been commenced in circuit court by Mrs. Ruth A. Burnell for a divorce from her husband, Chas. Burnell, on charge of desertion and non-support of herself and minor child. She also asks for the care and custody of the child. Mrs. Burnell was formerly Miss Ruth Hutchinson of this city.

W. F. Collins was called to Stevens Point the first part of the week to attend the funeral of his sister, who died on Sunday at St. Mary's hospital in Oshkosh. Deceased, whose name was Mrs. Anna Collins Wood, was 33 years of age, and since her marriage in 1909 has made her residence in Chicago. The funeral was held on Wednesday at Stevens Point.

Otto Thorsen, who has been employed at the Nekoma-Edwards mill at Port Edwards the past eight years, departed Saturday for Cloquet, Minnesota, for a weeks visit before going to Millwood, Washington, where he goes to accept a position as head cook in the paper mill there. He was accompanied by Riley Denton, who will work with him.

Brazzan, who has been visiting and Mrs. William Tefau were in the city last Thursday to see Mike concerning Mrs. Tefau's

Samuel Carrington returned last week from the west where he had been for some time past. He had been visiting in Montana, Oregon and California, and reports that Wisconsin looks better to him than any of the western states he stopped in.

Rae Weaver, candidate for governor on the Socialist ticket, was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Saturday. Mr. Weaver is a resident of Beaver Dam, where he is engaged in newspaper work and is a very pleasant man to meet. While we hardly expect that Mr. Weaver will be elected governor of the state of Wisconsin, he has our best wishes, just the same.

In the prizes awarded at the Johnson & Hill exhibit and published in the Tribune last week, the name of John T. Pagel of the town of Rudolph, was printed as Regal, and the result was that Mr. Pagel got no credit for the things he had exhibited. His prizes were among the Wolf River apples, Wisconsin No. 8 corn and also one other variety of corn. Altho the error was not the fault of the Tribune, we are glad to

A party of young people who were

There was a real snowstorm on Friday afternoon and evening, and for a time it looked as if there might be some of the beautiful left on the ground when it was all over. However, it was only a bluff, and the weather since then has been quite seasonable.

Six young men, all more or less peppered with fine shot were brought to the hospital in this city last Sunday to be relieved of the pellets that were buried deep in their flesh. All were residents of a community near Thorp. On the night before their arrival here, with a number of others, they went to a neighbors for the purpose of carrying on a charivari. Before they had time to get their music started the man of the house appeared with a shot gun and fired both barrels into the crowd wounding no less than ten of the party, but none fatally. One of the party brought here had eight shot picked out of his head.—Marshfield Herald.

Mrs. Warren Huntington of Eau Claire is in the city visiting with her daughter, Mrs. William Tefau, and also her granddaughter, Mrs. Pearl Bunzell.

Nekoma Tribune: While returning from a dance held at Nekoma, five of our young men miraculously escaped serious injury if not death when the automobile in which they were riding struck a hole in the road which recent rains had made on the bank and rolled over down the embankment. Even the fence which guarded this place failed to stop the car, and it rolled over once and a half landing up against a tree, with the engine still running. The boys were Carl Stollmeyer, Chas. Lee, Mark Huber, Jos. Arnold and Jos. Wipit. Not one of them received more than slight bruises from bumping against the car, which had its top, a lamp, running boards, fenders and wind shield damaged beyond repair.

Speaking of advertising, here I want some of the publishers charge for space: Ladies' Home Journ. \$8 per line, \$104 per inch and \$6,000 for a full page in a single issue. A full page advertisement in the Saturday Evening Post in a single issue costs \$5,000 and the back cover sells for \$7,000. The center double page in colors is \$12,000. As their advertising space is always filled, it is evident that advertising pays even at these big prices, or the firm wouldn't continue to make the expenditure.—Manitowoc Daily Herald.

Legal Blanks for sale at this office

Official Presidential Ballot

If you desire to vote for all of the presidential electors of one party, make a cross (X) or other mark in the circle (O) under the party designation at the head of the party column. If you desire to vote for particular persons without regard to party, mark in the square after the name of the elector for whom you desire to vote, or write any name that you wish to vote for in the proper place.

| DEMOCRAT                                   | PROHIBITION                                | REPUBLICAN                                  | SOCIAL DEMOCRAT                            | SOCIAL LABOR                               | INDEPENDENT                                |
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| For President—<br>WOODROW WILSON           | For President—<br>J. FRANK HANLY           | For President—<br>CHARLES E. HUGHES         | For President—<br>ALLAN BENSON             | For President—                             | For President—                             |
| For Vice President—<br>THOMAS R. MARSHALL  | For Vice President—<br>IRA LANDRITH        | For Vice President—<br>CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS | For Vice President—<br>GEORGE KIRKPATRICK  | For Vice President—                        | For Vice President—                        |
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| JUDGE JOHN C. KAREL.....                   | ANTHONY J. BENJAMIN.....                   | L. K. BAKER.....                            | OSCAR AMERINGER.....                       |  |  |
| JUDGE J. E. DODGE.....                     | FRANK R. DERRICK.....                      | JOHN S. MEDARY.....                         | EDWARD SIEGLER.....                        |  |  |
| HENRY MOEHLENPAH .....                     | CHAS. SCHLAFFER .....                      | WILLIAM W. STORMS.....                      | JAMES VINT.....                            |  |  |
| CHAS. H. WEISSE.....                       | JASPER DEXTER.....                         | WALTER J. KOHLER.....                       | ED. D. DEUSS.....                          |  |  |
| JUDGE ALDRO JENKS.....                     | HERBERT S. SIGGELKO.....                   | FRANK SMITH.....                            | JOHN CHILSON.....                          |  |  |
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| VINCENT J. SCHOENECKER.....                | WM. R. NETHERCUT.....                      | FRED C. PRITZLAFF.....                      | JOHN DOERFLER, SR.....                     |  |  |
| OTTO C. WERNECKE.....                      | ALMON F. COLLINS.....                      | H. D. LAUSON.....                           | ROBERT SCHUTTLE.....                       |  |  |
| J. H. CERNAHAN.....                        | OLIVER NEEDHAM.....                        | O. G. MUNSON.....                           | D. V. LAWELL.....                          |  |  |
| L. J. PASTERNECKI.....                     | PLINY F. MEYERS.....                       | L. M. ALEXANDER.....                        | CURTIS A. BOORMAN.....                     |  |  |
| ANDREW R. McDONALD.....                    | CHARLES E. BADGER.....                     | G. A. WALTER, JR.....                       | G. M. SCHMITZ.....                         |  |  |
| JOHN R. MATTHEWS.....                      | WALDEMAR ACER.....                         | O. K. HAWLEY.....                           | CHARLES H. OLSON.....                      |  |  |
| J. A. HOBE.....                            | DAVID W. EMERSON.....                      | A. H. STANGE.....                           | OTTO F. EICK.....                          |  |  |

OFFICIAL BALLOT

If you desire to vote an entire party ticket for state, congressional, legislative and county offices make a cross (X) or other mark in the circle (O) under the party designation at the head of the ballot. If you desire to vote for particular persons without regard to party, mark in the square at the right of the name of the candidate for whom you desire to vote if it be there, or write any name that you wish to vote for, in the proper place.

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|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
|                             |                             |                             |                             |                             |                             |
| Governor—                   | Governor—                   | Governor—                   | Governor—                   | Governor—                   | Governor—                   |
| BURT WILLIAMS.....          | GEORGE MCKERROW.....        | EMANUEL L. PHILIPP.....     | RAE WEAVER.....             |                             |                             |
| Lieutenant Governor—        | Lieutenant Governor—        | Lieutenant Governor—        | Lieutenant Governor—        | Lieutenant Governor—        | Lieutenant Governor—        |
| JOHN CUDAHY.....            | CHARLES H. MOTT.....        | EDWARD F. DITHMAR.....      | ELLIS B. HARRIS.....        |                             |                             |
| Secretary of State—         | Secretary of State—         | Secretary of State—         | Secretary of State—         | Secretary of State—         | Secretary of State—         |
| EDWIN C. JONES.....         | WILL E. MACK.....           | MERLIN HULL.....            | GEORGE HAMPEL.....          |                             |                             |
| State Treasurer—            | State Treasurer—            | State Treasurer—            | State Treasurer—            | State Treasurer—            | State Treasurer—            |
| JOHN G. REUTEMAN.....       | JOHN A. BERG.....           | HENRY JOHNSON.....          | CLARENCE A. SACKETT.....    |                             |                             |
| Attorney-General—           | Attorney-General—           | Attorney-General—           | Attorney-General—           | Attorney-General—           | Attorney-General—           |
| THOMAS H. RYAN.....         | BYRON E. VAN KEUREN.....    | WALTER C. OWEN.....         | GERRIT T. THORN.....        |                             |                             |
| United States Senator—      | United States Senator—      | United States Senator—      | United States Senator—      | United States Senator—      | United States Senator—      |
| WM. F. WOLFE.....           | CHARLES L. HILL.....        | ROBERT M. LAFOLLETTE.....   | RICHARD ELSNER.....         |                             |                             |
| Member of Congress—         | Member of Congress—         | Member of Congress—         | Member of Congress—         | Member of Congress—         | Member of Congress—         |
| JOHN KALMES.....            |                             | EDWARD E. BROWNE.....       | CHARLES KIESNER.....        |                             |                             |
| State Senator—              | State Senator—              | State Senator—              | State Senator—              | State Senator—              | State Senator—              |
| CARL C. HOEHNE.....         |                             | ISAAC P. WITTER.....        |                             |                             |                             |
| Member of Assembly—         | Member of Assembly—         | Member of Assembly—         | Member of Assembly—         | Member of Assembly—         | Member of Assembly—         |
| LAMBERT MICHAELS.....       |                             | BYRON WHITTINGHAM.....      |                             |                             |                             |
| County Clerk—               | County Clerk—               | County Clerk—               | County Clerk—               | County Clerk—               | County Clerk—               |
| WM. T. NOBELS.....          |                             | SAM CHURCH.....             |                             |                             |                             |
| County Treasurer—           | County Treasurer—           | County Treasurer—           | County Treasurer—           | County Treasurer—           | County Treasurer—           |
| JOSEPH P. WHEIR.....        |                             | CLAUS JOHNSON.....          |                             |                             |                             |
| Sheriff—                    | Sheriff—                    | Sheriff—                    | Sheriff—                    | Sheriff—                    | Sheriff—                    |
| FRED BEELL.....             |                             | JOHN NORMINGTON.....        |                             |                             |                             |
| Coroner—                    | Coroner—                    | Coroner—                    | Coroner—                    | Coroner—                    | Coroner—                    |
|                             |                             | HERMAN H. HELKE.....        |                             |                             |                             |
| Clerk of the Circuit Court— | Clerk of the Circuit Court— | Clerk of the Circuit Court— | Clerk of the Circuit Court— | Clerk of the Circuit Court— | Clerk of the Circuit Court— |
| CHARLES KRASKE.....         |                             | A. B. BEVER.....            |                             |                             |                             |
| District Attorney—          | District Attorney—          | District Attorney—          | District Attorney—          | District Attorney—          | District Attorney—          |
| C. B. EDWARDS.....          |                             | JOHN ROBERTS.....           |                             |                             |                             |
| Register of Deeds—          | Register of Deeds—          | Register of Deeds—          | Register of Deeds—          | Register of Deeds—          | Register of Deeds—          |
| JOHN HOFFMAN.....           |                             | HENRY EBBER.....            |                             |                             |                             |
| Surveyor—                   | Surveyor—                   | Surveyor—                   | Surveyor—                   | Surveyor—                   | Surveyor—                   |
|                             |                             | JOHN SEVERNS.....           |                             |                             |                             |



## TIPPECANOE

By SAMUEL MCCOY

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## WHEN SPIES MEET

Do you believe the spy is as honorable in war as the soldier in the trenches? If you caught a spy plotting against the welfare of our nation, and he pleaded with you to spare his life, at least, would you do it?

Time: The year 1811. David Lawrence, young English weaver, comes to Corydon, Indiana territory, intending to kill an old enemy. He meets Patricia O'Bannon and her charming daughter, "Tolnetto," and becomes clerk in Colonel Posey's store. In Job Cranner and his daughter Lydia, recently come from Britain, David finds congenial acquaintances, but he and Doctor Elliott dislike one another. Elliott wants to marry "Tolnetto" and tries to poison her against David. Cranner mystifies David, who overhears spies planning to meet at night in the courthouse. He hides there. What he hears and the strange adventure which befalls him is told in this installment.

## CHAPTER IV—Continued.

With the closing of the doors behind him, in the dim light he distinguished at the other end of the room the high platform and desk where the judges were to sit, when the court had been transferred from old Vincennes. Behind the high-backed desk he would be absolutely concealed from view. He made himself comfortable behind it and settled down to wait, promised himself a square of azure showed through the unfinished roof. The afternoon was warm. David was more tired than he had realized. He grew drowsy, nodded, and slept.

When he awoke, without raising his head, his ears caught the murmur of voices that had seemed to run through his dreams. All the light had faded from the room, a star shone through the unfinished roof high above him. The voices ran on at his ear. He could hear them more plainly now.

"Money? Why, I tell you, man, there's barrels of it waiting at Madison." The voice was impatient, with an effort to his whisper; sometimes it rose as though its owner could with difficulty constrain himself to caution.

"Barrels of it, I tell you. Heaps of good dollars like maize in the Indian villages."

"But do you think he is with us?"

David could scarcely repress a start at the second voice.

The first speaker granted contemptuously. "And with blood on his hands? You're sure of him as you are of me."

The voice that answered was one of hearty friendliness.

"There, there, Captain Girty, no offense. But you'll admit that I was sent over to treat with you and you refused. And now you propose the name of this man. You must admit, Captain Girty, that there's a bare chance he would prefer a Yankee to an English commission."

The man addressed as Girty swore furiously.

"American? He hasn't no more American than I be. You promise him a nice berth with the king's commission and protection and he'll take it."

"And if he refuses?"

"No one's the wiser. I'll cut his throat easy enough."

David thought the husky giggle which accompanied the words would have graced Satan.

"Well, well, meet him tonight, then. Where do you say he's to be found?"

"We'll meet at the forge at the corner of Oak lane and Walnut—Israel Butt's smithy. He slips in and out when he pleases."

"We'll meet there at midnight?"

"Thereabouts. Give me time to get home of this liquor. We don't get into every day in the wilderness."

The blackwoodsman chuckled again heartily.

David heard the faint shuffle of the British agent's steps as the two moved away. The second man must be barefoot, he thought. Then came the just-audible sound of the closing doors and he was alone. He rose and hastened through the growing darkness like a tattered ghost. He had still another rendezvous with traitors to keep that night.

With a grunt a portly passer-by felt his impact as he turned the corner; it was Cranner himself, lingering on the way to his inn.

"Why, it's David!" he exclaimed with bluff friendliness. "How are you, young man?" He crushed David's cold fingers in a mighty grasp. "My boy," he went on sturdily, "I've seen nothing in this town all day long but drunken blackwoodsman. I don't think they're folk you can depend on. I stick to old John Wesley, rest his honest soul! I'm a Methodist, I am, even in a town where there's none to preach. I'm hurrying back to my daughter, and then we'll have family prayers together. Won't you join us?"

He beamed on David with the expression of one ready to suffer the fustian. But David stared at him in silence with a strange look and then abruptly turned away. What a fool he had been to trust these Cranners! For a moment he caught himself—Lydia, for night he really knew, was innocent of her father's intrigues.

On the corner of the lanes called Oak and Walnut the blacksmith shop of Israel Butt, a low barrack of logs, showed no gleam of light from the turtorial to the chance passer-by. David, hidden in the dark passageway at the rear of the smithy, waited impatiently.

A silent figure passed him, unseeing, searching thrice with the point of a knife on an unseen door, was admitted. The hidden watcher rose and stole on noiseless feet around the corner of the silent shop and felt his way along its wall. No window. Then came the uncertain steps of still another who sought the door of the rendezvous, stumbling along the uneven flagging.

David sank to his knees, and as he did so his fingers encountered an opening in the hoise wall, level with the flagging. Bending lower, he peered in. A noiseless odor assaulted his nostrils. The opening was scarcely two feet square; evidently the aperture through which the blacksmith emptied the dirty water from his forge. But conquering his repugnance, he lay flat and wriggled his shoulders in. A wooden bucket, full of water, stood before the opening. For a moment he pushed noiselessly away and peered in just as the attention of those within was drawn to the late comer at the door.

There were four men now within the shop, one unseen by the other three. He now had his first sight of Girty,

Recounting the adventures and love which came into the lives of David Lawrence and Antoinette O'Bannon, in the days when pioneers were fighting red savages in the Indiana wilderness.

tossed it into the stream and went back to the tavern.

For many days after that his ragged, discarded shoes lay unnoticed at the low aperture of Israel's smithy.

David awoke in the morning as fresh as the day. But day brought with it the demand that he take up his new work; and he crossed the square to Colonel Posey's store, searching the village sharply as he went.

He hurried to the cabin by the blacksmith's shop. An honest-faced woman, with a broad of babies clinging to her skirts, answered his knock.

"No, nobody by that name lives here. My man is Israel Butt, that at the forge." She was positive that such person as Scull lived in the village; her husband was equally at a loss to remember the name; and David, confident as he had been, was forced to turn away, baffled by their honest perplexity. The man had been completely as though he had been swallowed up in the earth.

Stupefied, David made his way to Cranner's lodgings. He had no idea what he would say to the man, but his steps took him mechanically to the door. And there he received a second shock. Cranner was gone, his daughter with him!

Whither?

His question brought the reply that they had said they were going to Vincennes. David's friend, John Tipson, the hunter and millwright, was there—would send Johnny a letter to warn him and Governor Harrison against Cranner, Girty and Scull, and telling of their talk of an Indian uprising.

He returned to his store, wrote the letter, sent it on by post. That done, he could do no more, except wait in patience for Cranner's return.

## CHAPTER V.

Young Men and Maidens.

May passed and under the lustrous stars of a June night twinkled the warm lights of the little village. They shone brightest of all in the little house of Randolph Builett, where candles blazed in their silver sconces and lit up a waxen floor. His wife, the granddaughter of Lord Cornwallis of England, was holding open house. Above the chatter and laughter a Creole violin lifted the foolish air of the French vogueur, that had floated across the star-glimmering waters of the river of St. Jerome a hundred years before.

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The much-abused English sparrow may come to be considered as a delicious morsel of food if public sentiment be so directed. Ex-Governor Cox of Ohio gave a banquet recently at which an important item upon the menu was a sparrow pie. The guests ate it with much pleasure, believing it to be either redbird or squab. Several hotel proprietors are accused of serving the sparrow on toast as redbird and the most fastidious guests are said to accept it without suspicion.

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Harrison, the governor, who had come from Vincennes to oversee his spring planting, and had tarried, for the evening, was among the group. He turned to a young man:

"Mr. Blackford," he said, "I believe that you have the distinction of being graduated from the same college which President Madison attended. I myself was a student at Hampden-Sidney college; but I remember hearing my father once say that, besides the institution which was the first-born of all American colleges—his own college of William and Mary—there was but one which a Virginian might attend without doing violence to his family traditions; he might, if he had no soul, go to Harvard, or, if he had no stomach, go to a nautical institution at New Haven; but as a Virginian and a gentleman he would go to Princeton."

Blackford laughed. He was a young lawyer who had just arrived in the territory, the first of the galaxy of young men bred in the east who were going to make a distinction between the east and the west. His face had attracted David Lawrence singularly; there was something in the man's fine, straightforward look that drew him like a brother. And here was an opportunity; he could now gratify through Blackford an ambition he had secretly nourished for some time, to study law in the evenings. He was growing restless with no greater occupation than measuring silk and millets over a store counter. And the law would be a step—one step at least—toward Tolnetto.

"Have you ever met the president, Mr. Blackford?" Harrison went on. "Once only, Governor Harrison. I shall never forget seeing him at our commencement exercises last September; he was there with his two classmates, Philip Frenaut and Judge Brackbridge of Pittsburgh. They were great cronies while in college, I believe. One saw them wandering around the elms with their arms around another's shoulders, laughing at some nonsensical banal about smoking that Mr. Frenaut had written."

"Frenaut is our greatest poet," said Harrison. "Surely his beautiful lines 'The Indian Burying Ground,' his exquisite ode to 'The Wild Honey-suckle,' and that matchless dirge for the dead who fell at Bataw Springs will live forever."

And in his deep and resonant voice, his face shrouded in the shadows of the veranda, he began to recite that splendid dirge. For a while no one spoke. Each was thinking of the shadow of war with England that seemed deepening with the days; of the closer, more terrible shadow of the Indian.

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"You're being funny, Mr. Blackford. I should think you two great, strong men would be eager to enlist and help drive out these terrible Indians for good."

"Well, I'm as ready as the next man to have the Indians leave us in peace," declared David slowly, "but I've never been a soldier and I don't believe that I'd make a very good one."

"Fah!" cried Tolnetto indignantly, "you're just as able to be a soldier as anyone in the territory. You are, you know you are."

"Measure us for our coffins, David," laughed Blackford, "we may just as well give in to her first as last."

David laughed too. But he was silent, thinking more of Tolnetto's words than of Blackford's. He continued his challenge:

"We're neither of us soldiers. David's first becoming the merchant Croesus of the West, and I'm a lawyer, though I'd hate to have the late lamented Blackstone hear me say that. He'd roll over. I've spent the best years of my young life cooped up in Judge Ford's office in Morris-town, wrestling with McNally's 'Rules of Evidence' when I should have been shedding a luster over the social life of New Jersey, and I don't feel as if it would be right for me to throw away all this might and grudging just to give some red-skinned scoundrel the pleasure of wearing the scalp of a future chief justice at his belt, or even the pleasure of my acquaintance. I expect to have very few clients among our red brethren, very few. Somehow, they seem to prefer retaining a hutch-faced attorney. Though, for the matter of that, I don't believe I can blame them. Judge Hurst tells me that in spite of all of Governor Harrison's efforts to put the little unpunctuated of the frontier to decision by the courts, there hasn't been one white man hanged for the murder of an Indian since the territory was begun, and that there never will be."







## FACE INJURED FROM GUN EXPLOSION

Pittsville Record: Leo McLaughlin of this city, was seriously injured Sunday by the explosion of a gun he was carrying while hunting partridges. The gun is one of the pump variety and it is supposed that the explosion was caused by the pump variety firing, causing an explosion. The breach of the gun came back on firing, striking the young man in the face, inflicting a serious injury under the right eye. Dr. Beyer took five stitches in the flesh to close the wound which is considered serious. From a medical standpoint on account of the nature of it. It is Y-shaped and much of the skin at the intersection of the rents is gone, making it a pitiful sight for the surgeon. While it will not keep him indoors for any length of time it is liable to cause an ugly scar to remain on the face.

## MOTHERS BEING KILLED

This bureau is being called upon in an editorial appearing in the current issue of the Wisconsin Medical Journal to make a campaign against the "frightful mortality among the mothers of Wisconsin" from blood poisoning accompanying childbirth. This call is a significant one, coming as it does from a periodical owned by the organized medical profession of the state, because it does not lay the responsibility, entirely on others, but frankly states that physicians are to blame in many instances. This self-criticism is true to the best traditions of the medical profession. The principles of that profession have always demanded of its practitioners that they place the interests of their patients above their own. In this they are comparable to sailors who are obligated by their own unwritten law never to leave the ship in times of danger, until every passenger's safety has been looked after to the last.

But as there have been sailors who have thought of personal "safety first" so are there some practitioners of medicine whose first thoughts are of personal ease and easy money. The medical journal holds no brief for such. On the contrary it considers the welfare of the individual patient and the non-medical public, in the mass, to be above personal and class interests. According to official figures, 106 mothers died in Wisconsin last year of blood poisoning as an incident in childbirth. Even this isn't the whole truth because not all of such deaths are recorded truthfully as to cause. Practically all of these deaths were preventable and yet they were not prevented. Why? Because in too many instances someone was careless or ignorant—or both careless and ignorant. A large proportion of Wisconsin mothers do not have an intelligent physician or midwife in attendance. Altogether too many are dependent upon such services as neighbors, husbands and even children may render.

It would seem as if every expectant mother were entitled to the following minimum of care and yet it is assured by physicians that not a very large proportion receive even this little:

- 1st. Examinations and reasonable assistance in safeguarding her own and her expected infant's life and health.
- 2nd. Skillful, clean and prompt attendance during her confinement either at home or in an accessible hospital.
- 3rd. Necessary after care to insure her restoration to a reasonable degree of health; and intelligent attention to the proper care and feeding of the new-born infant.

## AUCTION SALE

At Clover Hill Stock Farm, three-fourths of a mile east and one-half mile north of Rudolph Station, on Tuesday, October 31, 1916, the following will be sold:

- 14 head of cows and some young stock, also full-blooded Holstein calf 3 months old.
- Sale starts at 1 o'clock.
- Terms of sale: Bankable paper for six months at 6 per cent.

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## MAKING ENDS MEET

The wagon for which the coal dealer paid \$110.00 fourteen years ago costs him nearly double that amount today. Horses have gone way up in price—an increase of nearly 75 per cent. Harness costs 50 per cent more than it did. The price of feed is so uncertain that it isn't even counted in. The teamster who delivers your coal gets almost twice the wages he did fourteen years ago. Carrying bags, coal chutes and shovels all cost the dealer more money.

## Comparative Values

| 1902                        | 1916             |
|-----------------------------|------------------|
| \$110.00 Wagon              | \$207.50         |
| \$175.00 Horse              | 300.00           |
| \$50.00 Harness             | 75.00            |
| \$1.50 Teamsters per day    | 2.75             |
| \$18.00 Carrying Bags, doz. | 24.00            |
| 40c Chutes, per foot        | .60              |
| \$13.00 Shovels, doz.       | 15.00            |
| \$1.00 Dealer's Margin      | \$1.15 (per ton) |

His margin has increased 15 per cent—his cost of doing business has increased nearly 70 per cent.

Is it any wonder that 15c a ton profit is about all he gets out of hard coal?

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WOOD AND COAL YARDS

## CARE OF MILK CANS

Thorough Washing and Sterilization a Necessity in the Production of Clean Milk.

In justice to the farmer, milk dealer should give considerable attention to the question of washing the cans before they are returned. If the cans are allowed to go back unwashed to the farmer, it is a very difficult task for him, with his limited facilities, to clean them. In a circular letter recently sent to milk dealers by the Dairy Division of the department, it was pointed out that bacterial counts made from cans which had been washed and rinsed in the ordinary manner showed that there were from 200,000 to 18,000,000 bacteria in each can, with an average of 4,500,000. If ten gallons of milk were put into one of these cans there would be added more than 100 bacteria to each cubic centimeter of the milk. That is to say, this is the least number that would be added. Whereas, it was pointed out, with a little steaming these same cans could have been rendered practically sterile.

One dealer who recently installed a modern washing machine employed a bacteriologist to test the results. It was found that less than 200,000 bacteria were in a can, and among them were no undesirable types. Bacterial counts of cans treated by a loss efficient steaming device which this dealer had formerly employed ran as high as 20,000,000 bacteria to the can, including some undesirable kinds.

There are a number of different types of cleaning machines on the market. The aim of all the efficient ones, however, is the thorough cleaning with washing powder and water, rinsing, sterilization with steam, and rapid drying. After this the cans should be covered and kept from contamination.

One of the simplest of the machines is a jet device, by means of which sprays of cold and hot water and of steam are successively forced into the can. This type is also equipped sometimes with a drying attachment by means of which a draft of dry air is forced into the can. Another type is the brush machine, in which cans are brushed with washing powder and water and then rinsed. After washing they may be steamed by a spray of steam. Some of the largest machines are fitted with a powerful pump, the cans in an inverted position being run thru the machine and sprays of soap and water, rinse water, hot water, and steam successively forced into them under considerable pressure. They are then dried in the same machine. The drying of the cans is an important factor, for it not only leaves them in a much better condition, but it tends to prevent rust. The cover also must not be neglected. It is as important that it be as thoroughly cleaned and sterilized as the can itself. It is not a good plan to put the cover on the can until the latter is quite dry. In the interval the can should be kept in a dry place where there is no dust or contamination. On the farm, cans, pails and other utensils may be sterilized very efficiently by means of an inexpensive sterilizer which is fully described in Farmers Bulletin 748. This bulletin may be obtained upon application to the department.

## MECHAN.

We were visited by the snow storm last Friday, October 20. It was not much but enough so that the boys were able to gather up a few snowballs where the snow blown against the buildings and piled up on the ground.

Herman Fletcher and family of Waupaca visited with friends here a few days last week. J. S. Durfee has been confined to his bed for a few days past by a severe attack of grippe and heart trouble.

Rev. S. E. Taylor of Highland Center preached a very interesting sermon at the church last Thursday evening from Matt. 5:1. The church was well filled and all enjoyed the sermon.

Our road commissioner has had a crew of men and teams at work on the Plover-Grand Rapids road the past week grading up the low places and getting ready for the gravel and macadam, which it is expected will be put on next spring if not before.

Mrs. D. H. Parks has been under a physician's care the past week, being sick with an attack of quinsy.

A miscellaneous shower has been announced by the friends of Miss Virginia Fox, to be given in her honor at her home next Saturday evening, October 28.

L. T. Fox is able to be around again after his severe attack of rheumatism. He was laid up for a matter of four weeks.

## ARPIN

F. T. Mueller is painting the parsonage this week. John Loschky and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Koros and Mrs. B. White attended the dance in Auburndale Tuesday night.

Mrs. Otto Koros entertained the Royal Neighbors at their social meeting Tuesday evening. A very nice lunch was served in the latter part of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gardner are the proud parents of a baby boy, born to them on Monday, October 16. Mrs. Wm. Grinn is very ill with appendicitis at this writing.

George and Ben, Otto and Wm. Martin were Marshfield shoppers on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kurtz and Mr. Kurtz's sister, Mrs. Langolf, had supper Wednesday evening with Mrs. John Whittington.

Mr. Brant, Wm. Petrock, Max Petrock and Max Kogler took some cattle to Vesper Saturday.

Mrs. John Kurtz and Mrs. Ed Langolf were Grand Rapids shoppers Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed Langolf of Pittsville visited with her brother, John Kurtz, and family, a part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Petrock and Mr. and Mrs. John Kurtz visited Sunday with the Gust Geronemeyer family.

Mrs. Wm. Martin and son Jesse returned home from a visit and visit with friends and relatives in Nettieville Monday.

Herbert Mueller and Arthur Becker of Athens are visiting the former's uncle and family, F. T. Mueller.

O. R. MOORE  
PHOTOGRAPHER  
Opposite Wood County National Bank. 25 years behind the camera but not a day behind the times.

## BIRON

There was a republican rally at the Club house in our town one night the past week.

Harry Gilman spent one day last week visiting at his home in Plover. Raymond Croft was a Rudolph visitor last Sunday.

Steve Prusynski was a business visitor in Grand Rapids one day last week.

Little George Meyers is improving rapidly from his recent sick spell. Mrs. Alex Muir who injured her arm while moving is improving very slowly.

Jeff Akey transacted business in Grand Rapids one day last week. Vincent Sinkoski and wife spent Sunday in Kaufer.

John Blumert is one of the lucky hunters of the locality, he having bagged nine ducks and three rabbits in one day's hunting trip.

Owen Love has resigned his position in the mill and will remove to Cincinnati, Ohio, where he intends to engage in the butcher business. Mr. Love is an expert at his trade, and should meet with unlimited success in his new location.

Ed Schuler of Michigan was in our town last week a guest at the Albert Schuler home. He left the last of the week for Wautoma where he will visit with relatives.

Archie Snyder who works in the mill here met with an accident last week which caused him the loss of his right hand. He is recovering from the accident as rapidly as possible.

George Eberhart has been promoted to the position of engineer in the mill here.

Mrs. J. E. Marvin of Nokosua visited at the Alex Muir home a few days the past week.

F. H. Lamberton has resigned his position at the club house here and moved to Grand Rapids.

Miss Hazel Plante was a guest of Miss Pearl Akey Saturday and Sunday.

Martin Globke was a visitor at Kellner Sunday.

## SIGEL

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Pavloski of Port Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. John Yesko of Grand Rapids spent Sunday at the A. Yesko home.

Jolly Adam of Grand Rapids visited friends here over Sunday.

Josephine Yesko of Port Edwards visited her cousin and also took in the dance in Vesper.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hoffman of Vesper and Mr. and Mrs. Lako autored to Stevens Point Sunday.

Herman Ruess and wife are the guests of Henry Ruess and family.

Frank Sternot who has been quite sick, is getting better at this writing.

The ladies of the Congregational church at Vesper will hold a bazaar and chicken supper on October 28. A big free program will be given in the evening. Supper 25c. Everybody come and have a good time.

Lynna Turner was a Marshfield caller on Tuesday.

Willard Perkins is entertaining his brother from the southern part of the state.

Joe Paterek was a Pittsville caller on Monday.

## SHEPHERD

George Thomas Manuell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manuell, was born at Lima, Wisconsin, in 1874, and died of pneumonia on October 10, 1916, at 4 p. m., at the home of his mother one mile north of Ellettsburg. Mr. Manuell came here in April with his three small children, expecting to locate, his former home being in Washington, where his wife had been in a sanitarium for the past two years.

His death is indeed very sad and leaves three small children to battle with the world without either father or mother. Mr. Manuell was a soldier in the Spanish-American war, and served until it closed. He made many warm friends during his short stay among us. He was a member of the M. E. church in Washington. Short services were held at his mother's home conducted by the Rev. Anderson of Vesper, who spoke comforting words to the relatives and friends. Mr. Manuell leaves his wife and three small children, his mother, six brothers and four sisters. The body was taken to Plattfield, where he was laid to rest beside his father who passed away about twenty-one years ago. The sympathy of the community goes out to the family in their great sorrow.

Mr. Sinclair of Superior, Iowa, is visiting at the Geo. Powell home. He will move his family in about a month over near Lindsay, where he has purchased a small farm.

Miss Grace Arnold has been here on business and looking after her Jersey herd, which has been on the Frank Parks farm for the past two years.

Miss Grace Ellis, Miss Hazel Morey and V. M. Douglas were entertained at the David Davis home last Friday evening. Miss Clara Farrell was also a guest and the evening was much enjoyed by all.

Dewey Sommers is assisting Arthur Smith in laying the foundation of his new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Townsend left last Friday for Illinois where they go to spend the winter.

There was a good turnout, also a good meeting at the home of Mrs. John Abbey last Saturday at the missionary meeting. Several things have been decided on that will make the work more effective in the future.

A lamp-year party was given in the town hall on Monday evening by Mr. Richard Evans.

Rev. M. Pheller was not here to hold English services on Sabbath morning as was expected, he having been called to Iowa by the death of a near relative of his wife.

## POLOVER ROAD

Mrs. Ernest Krueger and daughter of Plover spent Saturday at the Charles Voight home.

Robert Walter is employed at the Biron mill.

Walter Fors and George Benson who are employed in Grand Rapids spent Sunday at their homes here.

Rudolph Miller and Peter Pello of Plover were callers here Sunday.

Miss Esther Voight has returned home from a visit with relatives at Plover.

The Plover road through this section is being graded.

Lester Keeney is now employed in Grand Rapids.

## MOCCASIN CREEK

Orvall Perkins and wife and Otto Slick and wife of Mazomanie visited a few days at the home of Wm. Winch and Wilber Perkins. They made the trip here by auto.

Mrs. Chas. Bathke spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. August Bathke. Ernest Beck is reported to be very sick.

Frank Cornwell has been entertaining his brother from Beaver the past week.

Boetcher Bros. are remodeling their old house.

J. Luce has been in Sun Prairie the past week.

Save Our Trading Stamps

**JOHNSON & HILL CO.**  
Grand Rapids, Wisconsin.

Save Our Trading Stamps

## DO YOU LIKE A FRONT LACE CORSET?

If so, ask to see some of our models selected from

Warner's Rust-Proof Styles

They are as accurate in every detail as Warner's Back Lace models, and as famous for their flexible support and wearing virtues.

Do Not Wait!

Buy your Warner's Corset before your new Fall Clothes, and you are then assured of a perfect fitting frock or suit.

Every Corset Guaranteed \$1.00 to \$3.00

## NEW MILLINERY



Never was the Millinery Store in better shape to take care of your wants. Our assortment of Trimmed Hats, Shapes and Trimmings are complete and up to the minute in every detail. New style themes, new color effects, new garnitures, all inspired by the most recent advice emanating from the workshops of the famed modiste creators of the world.

We cordially invite you to come and inspect the largest and best variety of Millinery ever shown in this section of the country.

## The Same Make at The Same Price

That wool is high, that dyestuffs are scarce, no man doubts. How then is it possible for the makers of

Styleplus Clothes \$17

to keep up the quality of this famous suit, without raising the price?

Simply this way: The makers center their efforts on this suit and overcoat. The public have voted Styleplus the great clothing achievement at medium price. Volume output scientifically keeps the price down.

You win—style plus all wool fabrics—guaranteed satisfaction. \$17 the same as ever.



## Good Warm Blankets and Comforters

at money saving prices. A visit to our Bedding Department will convince you that we save you money on all kinds of bedding. Come, see, compare sizes and qualities—then judge for yourself.

Comforters from ..... \$1.00 to \$10.00  
Blankets from ..... 50c pair to \$11.50

## NOTICE!

Bring in your cash sales slips and redeem them for our Trading Stamps before Nov. 15th. After Nov. 15th stamps to be given at time of purchase.

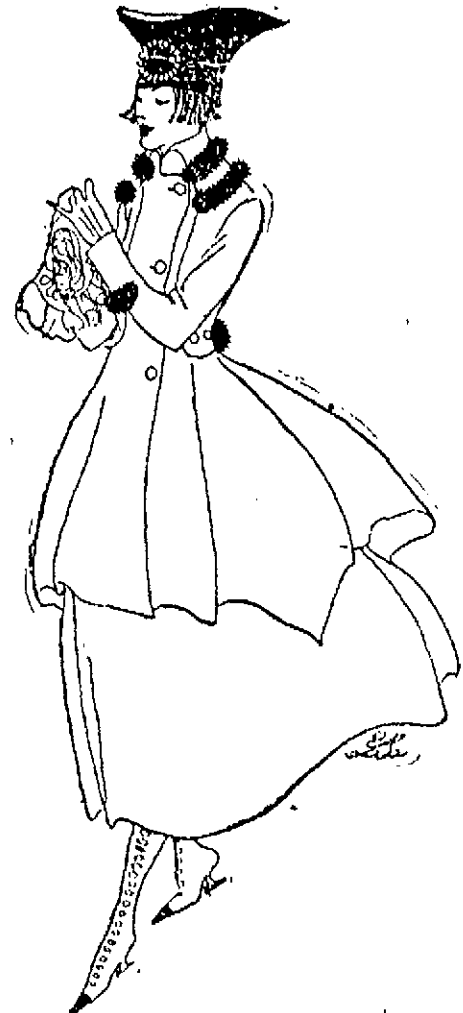
## The Most Charming Suits We've Shown

SOME of the most beautiful suits we have ever assembled in our garment section are now on display, ready for your inspection, and we hope, your approval.

With new models arriving daily, the task of selecting just the right suit is an easy one.

In materials you will see represented every fabric that is correct for Fall and Winter.

We have ever so many models that are charmingly trimmed, but for the woman who desires a strictly plain tailored model, we have an unlimited variety. Every good color is represented, of course.



## The New Modes Presented In The Women's Blouse Section

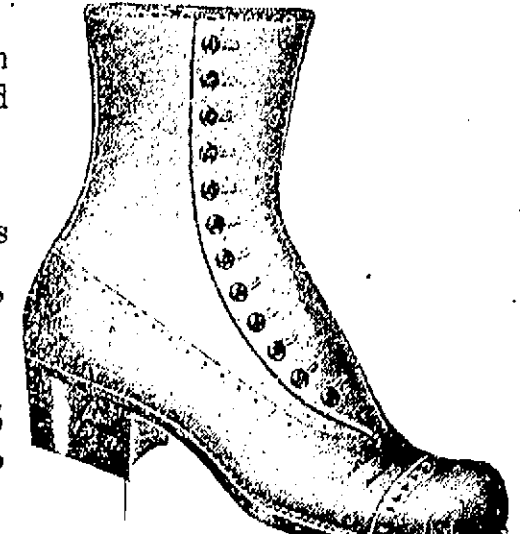
And so fascinating are they in their artful little touches of style, their smartness of line, their very "newness," that it is safe to predict this will be a blouse season of supreme interest. We invite your inspection of these new Crepe de Chene, Georgette Crepe, Organdie and Voile Blouses.

**Silks of Superior Service** Brilliant in pattern and coloring. New and strikingly handsome weaves whose popularity will reign supreme in the world of fashionable dress this fall speak proudly for themselves in this showing. Variety is the keynote of distinction because it insures satisfaction with the individual choice that's made. The brilliancy of the exhibit admits of no argument—we know you'll be delighted. Prices, as usual, are the lowest for which good silks ever sell.

**The Newest in Dress Goods**—No question about the popularity of our Dress Goods Department. With stocks larger and more varied than ever before we are offering thousands of yards of fashionable materials, including every wanted style and coloring for Fall and Winter—at fairest prices.

## Dependable Shoes for Boys and Girls

It has always been our aim to carry only dependable footwear, especially so in shoes for the Boy and Girl—they're more astir than the grown-ups, naturally are harder on shoe leather, and it requires something extra substantial to stand the strain. The fact that our Children's Shoe business is constantly growing seems to us conclusive proof that our children's line is giving the best of satisfaction.



We are still selling many styles in Children's shoes at last season's prices—good substantial shoes that we contracted for five or six months ago—these will remain at the old price as long as we have sizes.

Boys High Cut Storm Boots in brown blucher style, a dandy boot for fall and winter wear—  
**\$3.50 and \$3.00**

Same styles also in Youths' and Little Gent's

High Cut Boots in Misses and Big Girls, dull leathers, lace or button styles  
**\$4.50, \$3.50, \$3.00**

Children's sizes.....\$2.50 and \$2.25

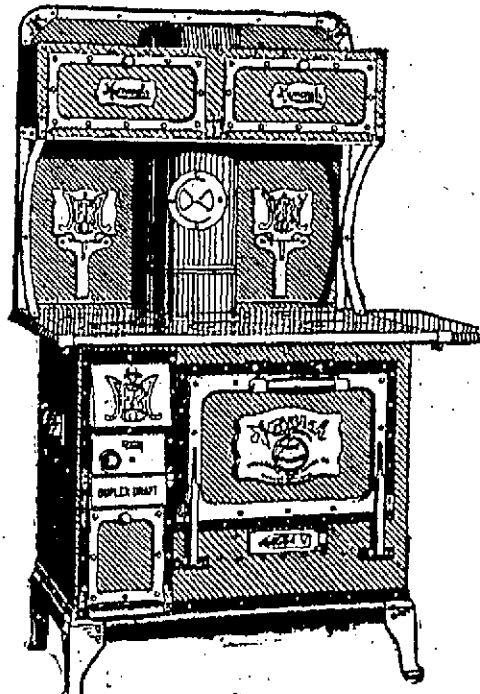
Regular heights from .....\$1.50 up

Let Us Fit Your Feet

## Monarch Malleable Iron Ranges

The range that demonstrates the value of rivets over putty in stove construction. Every section of the stove from the base to the top is riveted together. This insures your range and makes it really a "strong, satisfactory range." The "Duplex Draft," malleable construction, blued top, are some of the superior features of this range we would be glad to demonstrate.

Prices range from \$50.00 to \$67.50



**JOHNSON & HILL CO.**  
Grand Rapids, Wisconsin.



## The Citizens National Bank

Grand Rapids, Wis.

## Double Your Dairy Profits This Year

### Sell Your Grain—Keep Your Cows!

Grain is too high to feed to cows—at least in the old way. Stop feeding them corn and oats and bran. Sell these cash crops and take a big profit while grain prices are high. But don't sell your cows. Let the other fellow do that if he likes—but you hang on to yours. For milk is going to be high, too, and you can produce your milk this year cheaper than you ever did before—by using

### Feed Them INTERNATIONAL Special Dairy Feed

Here's a grain ration that will produce more milk than an equal weight of plain grain—and it costs less per pound. Contains prime milk feeds, cotton-seed meal, molasses, etc. Perfectly balanced, and the cows love it. Feed it alone or as part of the grain ration. See their appetites pick up, digestion improve, coats get glossy, and milk flow start as if it were spring again. The first top will prove to you that you can take the big profits on your own grain and still keep your profit on the cows. Try a ton.

**Headquarters for Dairymen**  
We handle a full line of dairy supplies, and keep only the best. Our prices cannot be beaten on goods of the same quality. We can supply you with anything in the dairy line you see advertised. We will send for it if we haven't got it. Make our store your headquarters when you come to town.

**McKERCHER & ROSSIER CO., Flour and Feed**  
Grand Rapids, Wis.

## THE GOOD JUDGE WAS NOT SURPRISED.



THE tip from a user of W-B CUT Chewing to a beginner is:  
"If you won't take a little chew don't take any. W-B CUT isn't ordinary tobacco. It's rich tobacco—a chew as big as a regular sized wad of plug is too much of a good thing. If you really want to know what tobacco satisfaction is, tuck a little nibble of W-B into your cheek, and notice how the good tobacco taste lasts and satisfies."

Made by WEYMAN-BRUTON COMPANY, 50 Union Square, New York City



## Easily Cleaned as a China Plate

To clean this range just wipe off the white porcelain parts. The polished top requires no blacking, so practically no effort is required to keep the Joy Eclipse clean and bright. This saves you many minutes of disagreeable labor every day.

## ECLIPSE CAST RANGE

The Eclipse way forces the heat to pass under all six lids before escaping. When cooking or ironing in the summer the entire top of the range can be kept hot without heating the oven. This is not possible in other ranges. On ordinary ranges the flames skip half the top, pass almost directly out the flue and only three lids are hot enough for cooking. You really have only half a range.

We have a limited supply of attractive booklets giving practical recipes, and VALUABLE INFORMATION on the proper care and operation of your range. Call and secure a copy before they are all gone. They are Free.

**Fred Piltz Hardware Co., Rudolph, Wis.**

older school buildings top and bottom bolts were used for the standing leaf of the double exit doors. According to these orders, these bolts will have to be removed and such hardware as described therein substituted.

At the Edison school the closet under the main front stair may be used for storing your storm windows if you will provide metal lath and plaster for the under side of the wooden stair.

Very truly yours,  
Industrial Commission,  
(Signed) E. W. Callen, assistant Building Inspector.

Moved by Commissioner Nativick and seconded by Commissioner Ragan that the communication be referred to the Committee on Buildings and Grounds with power to act. Motion carried unanimously.

The following bills were then presented:

Schroeder & Miller, repairs and Howe school fire escapes \$2,000.47

Green Day & Western R. R. Co., freight on coal..... 155.24

F. S. Gill, varnishes, paints, oil, and glass..... 873.52

Wood County Telephone Co., rental and tolls, 3 months..... 35.40

F. W. Jones, milk, Domestic Science, May..... 8.50

Johnson & Hill Co., supplies 3 months..... 66.50

Grand Rapids Tribune, printing..... 18.00

The First National Bank, interest, 3 months..... 352.50

Wm. F. Hess, plumbing..... 72.00

Ohlf' Doughly, sweeping compound..... 15.00

Normanton Bros., laundry..... 9.92

J. W. Nativick, window tape and repairs..... 37.22

Link & Werle, meat, Domestic Science..... 6.37

Stewart & Edwards, balance, Domestic Science..... 1.73

Dr. J. J. Looze, medical services, Russell Alpine..... 2.50

Mrs. G. S. Boardley, Domestic Science supplies..... 4.91

George Waterman, labor..... 1.00

J. E. Farley, plumbing..... 14.46

J. A. Staub, electrical supplies and repairs..... 44.28

Kellogg Bros. Lumber Company, lumber for repairs..... 174.16

Grand Rapids Street Railroad Co., 5 books tickets..... 25.00

Nash Hardware Co., plumbing..... 170.80

Grand Rapids Foundry Co., repairs and supplies..... 108.99

C. W. Schwede, telephone tolls and registrations..... 9.51

A. J. Hasbrouck, livery..... 1.50

B. F. Nason, repairs..... 6.39

The Reporter Print Shop, printing..... 33.30

W. A. Marling Lumber Co., lumber..... 6.00

Edw. A. Schmidt, repair of chimneys..... 104.23

Wisconsin Paper & Specialty Co., toilet paper and towels..... 181.00

Thomas Charles Company, kindergarten and school supplies..... 140.40

Rand McNally & Co., maps, Edison School..... 32.00

As recommended by the City Superintendent be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,  
Secretary.

Moved by Commissioner Reeves, seconded by Commissioner Hatch, that the report be accepted and placed on file.

Motion made and carried that the Committee on Buildings and Grounds look into the matter of providing a paper press for the school.

The following report on Text Book Funds was then presented and, on motion, referred to the Finance Committee.

**Text Book Report, First Semester 1915-1916**

To books on hand \$ 381.51

To paper on hand..... 140.89

To books and paper added..... 1653.72

To mid-year surplus..... 120.55

To cash on hand..... .37

**\$2303.05**

**Text Book Report, Second Semester 1915-1916**

To books and paper on hand..... \$ 775.81

To books and paper sold..... 735.82

To cash on hand..... 13.40

Applied toward book exchanges..... 24.17

**\$1,549.20**

By books and paper on hand..... \$712.94

By desk copies given..... 11.41

By magazines bought..... 18.75

**\$743.10**

Brought forward..... \$743.10

By books and paper sold..... \$737.28

By freight and express paid..... 18.79

By balance on hand..... .03

**\$1,549.20**

Upon motion, Commissioners Babcock and Witter and the City Superintendent were designated as a committee who, together with the Finance Committee, are to take up the matter of the school budget for 1916-17 with the Mayor and Common Council of the city.

The president appointed the following Finance Committee: W. H. Reeves, chairman, Mrs. Sam Church, Jacob Searis.

Motion to adjourn was then carried. (Signed) Isaac P. Witter, President of Board of Education. (Signed) C. W. Schwede, Clerk of Board of Education.

## CAMPING OUT IN AUTUMN

Camping out—the love of outdoor life—must be in the American blood. Nothing is more unaccountable, from one point of view, than the sudden gratification toward the camp, which has taken place in the last ten years.

That sleeping porch, the dining porch, the camp, the tramping tour, all have become commonplaces among the people who considered "the night air" deadly and feared to sit upon the ground lest they catch "lung trouble." And there is no more pleasant time than the autumn for camping out.

It is a wholesome development, however, and it is unlikely that we shall ever go back to the old germ-trap type of home. Modern invention has relieved the movement as it does everything else, and one of the most useful of its devices is the enameled ware, unbreakable, yet attractive out-of-door tea set and dinner set. When everything from a child's mug to an after-dinner coffee cup can be had in attractive shades of enamel, ware, one source of worry—broken dishes—is removed from the camper, and the wrong vegetables in metal—another—the poisoning due to cook-also becomes nil.

The ideal camp outfit includes a complete set of enameled dishes packed compactly in a basket, each dish, cup, spoon and plate having its own place. If a small fireless cooker be added hot food can be carried anywhere on an automobile or driving trip. If the party is on a walking tour with no commissariat vehicle, each member can carry his own cup and plate without finding it a burden.

Even living out of doors, it is possible to have meals clean and daintily served, and that without extra trouble.

Oct. 19. Nov. 2. STATE OF WISCONSIN, WOOD COUNTY IN COUNTY COURT

In re Estate of Frank A. Kloster, deceased —La Probate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the term of said court to be held on the fourth Tuesday of November, A. D. 1916, at the court house in the city of Grand Rapids, county of Wood and state of Wisconsin, there will be heard and considered, the application of Mrs. A. Kloster to admit to probate the last Will and Testament of Frank A. Kloster, late of the town of Sherry in said county, deceased, and for the appointment of an executor.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that at the term of said court to be held at said court house on the fourth Tuesday of February, 1917, there will be heard, considered and adjusted all claims against said Frank A. Kloster deceased.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that all such claims for examination and allowance must be presented to said county court at the court house in the city of Grand Rapids in said county, and state, on or before the 25th day of February, A. D. 1917, or be barred.

Dated this 17th day of October, A. D. 1916.

Reedsburg Tuesday last to care for her mother who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Joseph Hand was called to

Monday on business errands.

Mrs. Robert Sanger and daughter Elsie of Grand Rapids were guests at the Hass home on Sunday.

Miss Margaret Brest and Master Harold Frost visited the Luthers home Sunday at Daly.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. James Casey Jr., on Wednesday, October 12, a daughter.

School opened in district No. 2 in the new school house October 10, with Miss Hanson as teacher.

Mrs. Frank Philbornow of Grand Rapids is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Hass, and other relatives here this week.

Have you ever attempted to organize the parents of your neighborhood to demand of the school board, the county supervisors and the common council that sufficient money be appropriated to buy the health assurance that a small amount of public money will provide? Or have you been among the citizens who are feared by office holders whenever they appropriate money to the health department. In a word, have you dreamed of health, been indifferent about efforts to secure it, or actively fought for it as you have for the money that goes into meat, vegetables, or that new automobile?

You and I may succeed in making a fair living on our own individual energies and abilities. But you and I can succeed in checking the ravages of tuberculosis, pneumonia, infantile paralysis, and many other contagious diseases only by co-operation.

A temperance program will be given at the church Sunday evening, November 5, at 8 o'clock, consisting of songs, recitations, etc. Everybody invited.

Lawrence Leiser received \$400 for his field of cabbage. Can you beat it?

C. E. McKee and family spent Sunday with P. H. Likes.

Mrs. Helen Davis is having her house painted. Her nephew of Milwaukee is doing the work.

Edwin Kellerman has his new barn about completed.

Henry Simonson and Miss Hattie Fredricks and Joe Peterson and Miss Helen Lela attended the show at Pittsville Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Platts spent Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. Roy and granddaughter of Boyer Davis arrived last Wednesday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Peters.

Fred Fox and family autored to Dexterville Sunday.

Mrs. Otto Kellman of Waukegan arrived Wednesday last for a visit with her parents.

Mrs. Gladys McManners and two children and niece Miss Helen Lian of Black River Falls arrived Monday for a visit with relatives.

George Zontner, the butter and cheese man, is laid up with a sprained wrist.

Mrs. Hendrickson of Pittsville spent Sunday with her son Will.

Ernest Dawes erected a silo a short time ago and is finishing his new barn at the present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Buchanan are rejoicing over the arrival of a son, born Wednesday, October 11, 1916.

Mrs. Reid and granddaughter Zella left last week for Minnesota where she will join her husband on a homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pinnung went to Grand Rapids last week to have some dental work done.

FOR SALE.—One black gelding, 4 years old, sound. Also some pure-bred S. C. Rhode Island Red cockerels. P. H. Likes. 4t

FOR SALE.—Some fine Holstein bulls and heifers from untested and tested cows. Remember the Pontiacs. Our sire grandson of Pontiac Korrdyke. Also young team of horses cheap. Hogarty Holstein Farm, Aniwa, Wisconsin.

# Three More Days Left

## The First National Bank's Campaign Nearing Its Close

### Saturday the 28th, will bring this unique campaign to a close

Are you one of those far seeing parents who have appreciated the advantage of encouraging their children in the habit of saving?

Has your boy or girl received one of these desirable Eastman cameras as a souvenir of the first savings account?

If not, act at once. This is the last advertisement that will appear. Saturday is the last day upon which the souvenir will be distributed.

The First National Bank takes this opportunity to cordially thank both the parents and the young people of this vicinity for helping to make this campaign so successful.

We shall always value highly the accounts which have been started with us on this plan, and we hope to see them accumulate and to have a decided effect upon the future of Wood County.

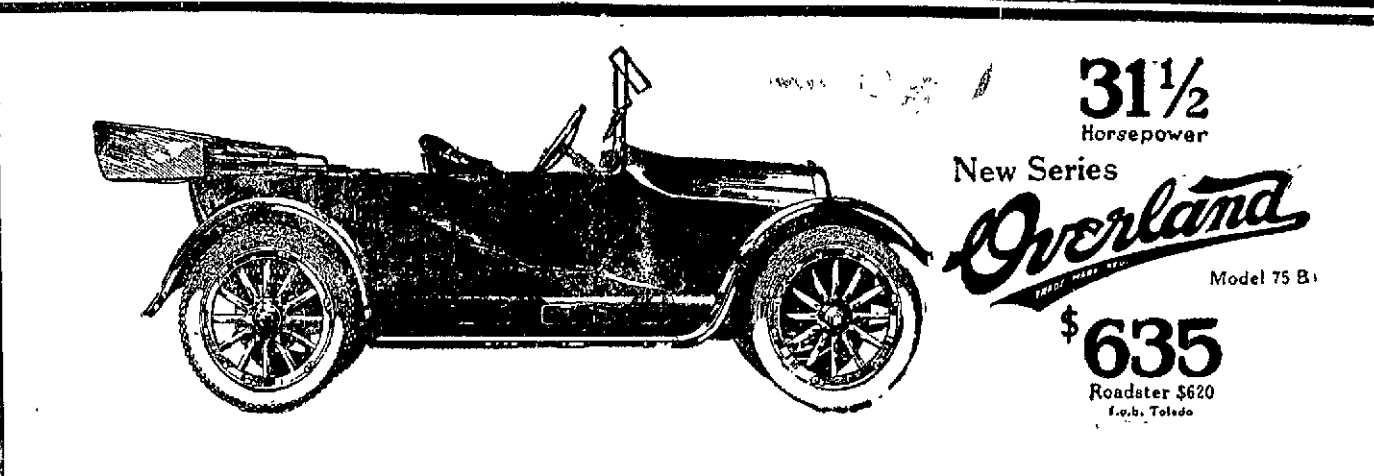
As a last word, we again invite the accounts of all those who have not taken advantage of our offer, to begin now the habit of saving, and to receive one of these excellent cameras FREE.

# FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Grand Rapids, Wisconsin.

3 per cent Interest

Start Now



## Thousands Behind

Three to fifty per hour on high—that's the speed report we get from owners all over the country.

And 20 to 25 miles per gallon of gas is the economy report.

A corking good car—

A price that makes it the greatest value on the face of the earth—

That combination has kept the factory thousands of cars behind sales for weeks and weeks.

But we're getting them in right along.

Better see us about yours today.

**NASH HARDWARE CO., GRAND RAPIDS, WIS.**  
Telephone 325

The Willys-Overland Company, Toledo, Ohio  
"Made in U. S. A."



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Grain is too high to feed to cows—at least in the old way. Stop feeding them corn and oats and bran. Sell these cash crops and take a big profit while grain prices are high. But don't sell your cows. Let the other fellow do that if he likes—but you hang on to yours. For milk is going to be high, too, and you can produce your milk this year cheaper than you ever did before—if you feed them **INTERNATIONAL Special Dairy Feed**.

#### Feed Them INTERNATIONAL Special Dairy Feed

Here's a grain ration that will produce more milk than an equal weight of plain grain—and it costs less per pound. Contains prime milk feeds, cottonseed meal, molasses, etc. Perfectly balanced, and the cows love it. Feed it alone or as part of the grain ration. See their appetites pick up, digestion improve, coats get glossy, and milk flow start as if it were spring again. The feed ton will prove to you that you can take the big profits on your own grain and still keep your profit on the cows. Try a ton.

**Headquarters for Dairymen.** We handle a full line of dairy supplies, and keep only the best. Our prices cannot be beaten on goods of the same quality. We can supply you with anything in the dairy line you see advertised. We will send for it if we haven't got it. Make our store your headquarters when you come to town.

**McKERCHER & ROSSIER CO., Flour and Feed**  
Grand Rapids, Wis.

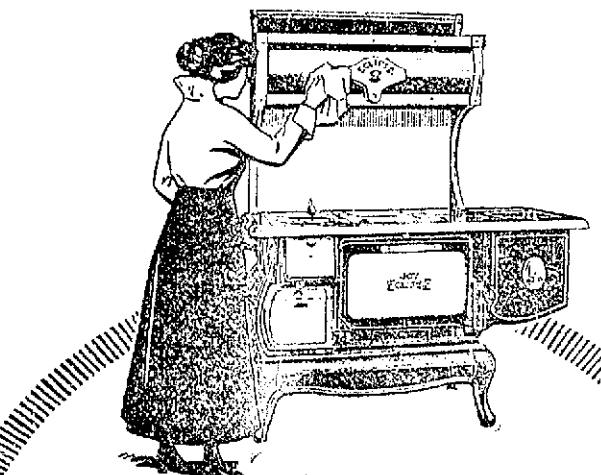
#### THE GOOD JUDGE WAS NOT SURPRISED.



THE tip from a user of W-B CUT Chewing to a beginner is:

"If you won't take a little chew don't take any. W-B CUT isn't ordinary tobacco. It's rich tobacco—a chew as big as a regular sized wad of plug is too much of a good thing. If you really want to know what tobacco satisfaction is, tuck a little nibble of W-B into your cheek, and notice how the good tobacco taste lasts and satisfies."

Made by WEYMAN-BRUTON COMPANY, 50 Union Square, New York City



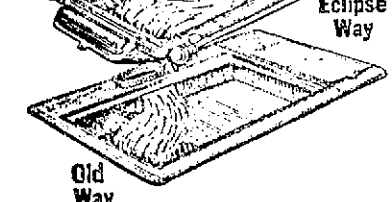
### Easily Cleaned as a China Plate

To clean this range just wipe off the white porcelain parts. The polished top requires no blacking, so practically no effort is required to keep the Joy Eclipse clean and bright. This saves you many minutes of disagreeable labor every day.

### ECLIPSE

CAST RANGE

The Eclipse way forces the heat to pass under all six lids before escaping. When cooking or ironing in the summer the entire top of the range can be kept hot without heating the oven. This is not possible in other ranges.



On ordinary ranges the flames skip half the top, pass almost directly out the flue and only three lids are hot enough for cooking. You really have only half a range.

We have a limited supply of attractive booklets giving practical recipes, and VALUABLE INFORMATION on the proper care and operation of your range. Call and secure a copy before they are all gone. They are Free.

**Fred Piltz Hardware Co., Rudolph, Wis.**

At the school the fire escapes were used for the standing leaf of the double exit doors. According to these orders, these bells will have to be removed and such hardware as described therein substituted.

At the Edison school the closet under the main front stair may be used for storing your storm windows if you will provide metal lath and plaster for the under side of the wooden stair.

Very truly yours,  
Industrial Commission,  
(Signed) E. W. Cullen, assistant Building Inspector.

Moved by Commissioner Natwick and seconded by Commissioner Ragan that the communication be referred to the Committee on Buildings and Grounds with power to act. Motion carried unanimously.

The following bills were then presented:

Schroeder & Miller, repairs and three school fire escapes \$2,090.47

Green Bay & Western R. R. Co., freight on coal..... 155.24

E. S. Gill, varnishes, paints, oil, and glass..... 873.52

Wood County Telephone Co., rental and tolls, 3 months..... 36.40

E. W. Jones, milk, Domestic Science, May..... 8.50

Johnson & Hill Co., supplies 3 months..... 66.00

Grand Rapids Tribune, printing..... 18.00

The First National Bank, interest, 3 months..... 352.59

Wm. F. Hess, plumbing..... 72.00

Oeliff, Doughty, sweeping compound..... 15.00

Normington Bros., laundry..... 9.92

J. W. Natwick, window tape and repairs..... 37.22

Link & Werle, meat, Domestic Science..... 6.57

Stewart & Edwards, balance, Domestic Science..... 1.73

Dr. J. J. Looze, medical services, Russell Alpine..... 2.50

Mrs. C. S. Dierdsley, Domestic Science supplies..... 4.91

George Waterman, labor..... 1.00

J. E. Farley, plumbing..... 14.46

J. A. Staub, electrical supplies and repairs..... 44.28

Kellogg Bros. Lumber Company, lumber for repairs..... 174.16

Grand Rapids Street Railroad Co., 5 books tickets..... 25.00

Nash Hardware Co., plumbing..... 170.80

Grand Rapids Foundry Co., repairs and supplies..... 108.99

C. W. Schwede, telephone tolls and registrations..... 9.51

A. J. Hasbrouck, livery..... 1.50

D. P. Nason, repairs..... 6.30

The Reporter Print Shop, printing..... 33.00

W. A. Marling Lumber Co., lumber..... 6.00

Edw. A. Schmidt, repair of chimneys..... 104.23

Wisconsin Paper & Specialty Co., toilet paper and towels..... 181.00

Thomas Charles Company, kindergarten and school supplies..... 140.40

Rand McNally & Co., maps, Edison School..... 32.00

The Barrett Company, disinfectants..... 72.75

J. L. Holcomb Mfg. Co., janitor's supplies..... 42.04

Associated Manufacturers Co., janitor's supplies..... 308.49

West Disinfecting Company, telephoning..... 8.10

North Western School Supply Company, supplies..... 5.50

Welch Manufacturing Company, apparatus and supplies..... 49.85

The Sterling Products Company, cement floor coating..... 23.35

The Prang Company, drawing supplies..... 150.34

The Arthur H. Clark Company, books..... 10.00

S. Y. Gillan & Co., registers..... 16.50

Baker Paper Company, supplies..... 8.88

D. Appleton & Co., supplementary readers..... 8.04

The Daily and Weekly Leader, printing..... 25.00

Wm. Dahlko, labor on furnaces, Lincoln..... 18.00

Schroeder & Miller, Howe school fire escape..... 1,313.72

J. E. Farley, plumbing..... 20.40

Wm. H. Burchell, freight and drayage..... 40.18

McCamley & Pomerville Hardware Company, hardware..... 47.08

H. T. Liebert, Howe school fire escape plans..... 105.15

R. L. Nash, 1,000 stamped envelopes..... 21.28

Moved by Commissioner Babcock and seconded by Commissioner Johnson that bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for same. Motion carried unanimously.

The committee on Teachers and Texts then made the following report: The Board of Education, Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, September 11, 1916.

Gentlemen:—The Committee on Teachers and Texts has the following report to make:

At the meeting of the Committee on Teachers and Texts in the Wood County National Bank on August 23, 1916, at 4:30 p. m., it was decided to recommend the following to the Board of Education at the regular meeting on September 11, 1916.

as recommended by the City Superintendent be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

Secretary.

Moved by Commissioner Reeves, seconded by Commissioner Hatch, that the report be accepted and placed on file.

Motion made and carried that the Committee on Buildings and Grounds look into the matter of providing a paper press for the school.

The following report on Text Book Funds was then presented and, on motion, referred to the Finance Committee.

Text Book Report, First Semester 1915-1916

To books on hand \$ 381.51

To paper on hand..... 140.89

To books and paper added..... 1653.72

To mid-year surplus..... 129.56

To cash on hand..... .37

By books and paper on hand..... \$ 775.81

By desk copies given..... 28.82

By magazines bought..... 69.48

By books and paper sold..... 1371.49

By freight and express paid..... 47.05

By balance on hand..... 13.40

Text Book Report, Second Semester 1915-1916

To books and paper on hand..... \$ 775.81

To books and paper sold..... 735.82

To cash on hand..... 13.40

Applied toward book exchanges..... 24.17

By books and paper on hand..... \$712.94

By desk copies given..... 11.41

By magazines bought..... 18.75

Brought forward..... \$743.10

By books and paper sold..... \$787.28

By freight and express paid..... 18.79

By balance on hand..... \$1,549.20

Upon motion, Commissioners Babcock and Witter and the City Superintendent were designated as a committee, together with the Finance Committee, to take up the matter of the school budget for 1916-17 with the Mayor and Common Council of the city.

The president appointed the following Finance Committee: W. H. Reeves, chairman, Mrs. Sam Church, Jacob Searls.

Motion to adjourn was then carried. (Signed) Isaac P. Witter, President of Board of Education.

(Signed) C. W. Schwede, Clerk of Board of Education.

#### CAMPING OUT IN AUTUMN

Camping out—the love of outdoor life—must be in the American blood. Not more so than in the American mind. One point of view, than the sudden gravitation toward the camp, which has taken place in the last ten years. The sleeping porch, the dining porch, the tramping tour, all have children and grand children of people become commonplace among the who considered "the night air" deadly and feared to sit upon the ground lest they catch "lung trouble." And there is no more pleasant time than the autumn for camping out.

It is a wholesome development, however, and it is unlikely that we shall ever go back to the old germ-trap type of home. Modern invention has reflected the movement as it does everything else, and one of the most useful of its devices is the enameled ware, unbreakable, yet attractive out-of-door ten set and dinner set. When everything from a child's mug to an after-dinner coffee cup can be had in attractive shades of enameled ware, one source of worry—broken dishes—is removed from the camper, and the wrong vegetables in metal—another—the poisoning due to cook-also becomes nil.

The ideal camp outfit includes a complete set of enameled dishes packed compactly in a basket, each dish, cup, spoon and plate having its own place. If a small fireless cooker be added hot food can be carried anywhere on an automobile or driving trip. If the party is on a walking tour with no commissarial vehicle, each member can carry his own cup. Even living out of doors, it is possible to have meals clean and daintily served, and that without extra trouble.

Oct. 19. Nov. 9.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, WOOD COUNTY IN COUNTY COURT

In re Estate of Frank A. Kloster, deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the term of said court to be held on the fourth Tuesday of November A. D. 1916, at the court house in the city of Grand Rapids, in the county of Wood and state of Wisconsin, there will be heard and considered, the application of Mrs. Helen Linn of Grand Rapids, in said county, and said estate, to be appointed executor of said estate.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that at the term of said court to be held at said court house on the fourth Tuesday of February, 1917, there will be heard, considered and adjusted all claims against said Frank A. Kloster deceased.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that all such claims for examination and allowance must be presented to said county court at the court house in the city of Grand Rapids in said county, and state, on or before the 26th day of February A. D. 1917, be barred.

Dated this 17th day of October A. D. 1916.

W. J. CONWAY, County Judge.

D. D. Conway, Attorney.

Monday on business errands.  
Mrs. Robert Sanger and daughter, Mrs. of Grand Rapids were guests at the home of Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hand and Master Harold Best visited the Luther home Sunday at Daly.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Casey on Wednesday, October 12, a daughter.  
School opened in district No. 2 in the new school house, October 10, with Miss Hanson as teacher.  
Mrs. Frank Pribbenow of Grand Rapids is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Hass, and other relatives here this week.  
Mrs. Joseph Hand was called to

Reedsburg Tuesday last to care for her mother who is seriously ill.  
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# Three More Days Left

The First National Bank's Campaign Nearing Its Close

Saturday the 28th, will bring this unique campaign to a close

Are you one of those far seeing parents who have appreciated the advantage of encouraging their children in the habit of saving?

Has your boy or girl received one of these desirable Eastman cameras as a souvenir of the first savings account?

If not, act at once. This is the last advertisement that will appear. Saturday is the last day upon which the souvenir will be distributed.

The First National Bank takes this opportunity to cordially thank both the parents and the young people of this vicinity for helping to make this campaign so successful.

We shall always value highly the accounts which have been started with us on this plan, and we hope to see them accumulate and to have a decided effect upon the future of Wood County.

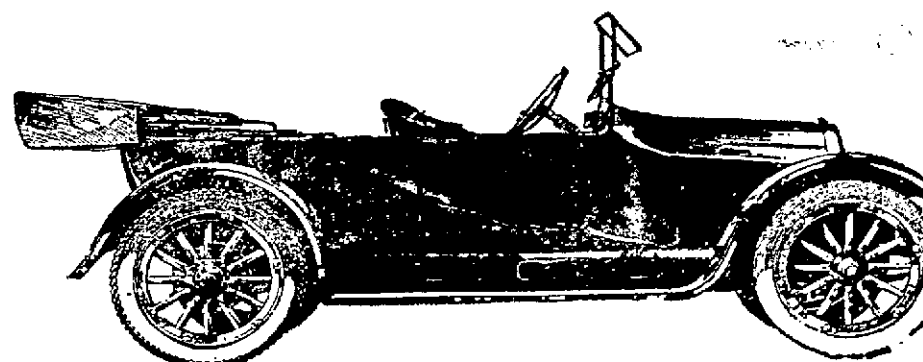
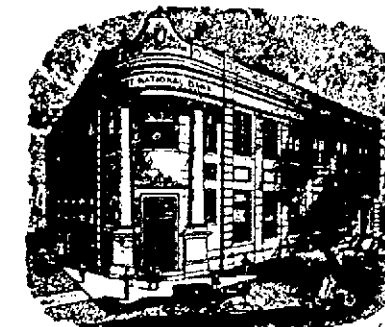
As a last word, we again invite the accounts of all those who have not taken advantage of our offer, to begin now the habit of saving, and to receive one of these excellent cameras FREE.

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Grand Rapids, Wisconsin.

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Interest

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New Series  
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Three to fifty per hour on high—that's the speed report we get from owners all over the country.

And 20 to 25 miles per gallon of gas is the economy report.

A corking good car—

A price that makes it the greatest value on the face of the earth—

That combination has kept the factory thousands of cars behind sales for weeks and weeks.

But we're getting them in right along.

Better see us about yours today.

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WANT COLUMN

HOUSE FOR RENT.—One block from St. Paul depot. John Mosher. 11

WANTED.—Experienced girl for general housework in family of two. No washing. Mrs. R. M. Rogers. Phone 588.

FOR SALE.—One fresh milk cow, age 5 years. Call 4011. A. A. Moldenhauer. 11p

FOR SALE.—Four-cylinder Hupmobile in good running order, for \$125 if taken at once. Fred Sewick, City.

WANTED.—A girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Geo. D. Miller, 318 St. South. Phone 745. 2t

WANTED.—Young girl for candy case, Saturday only. Howard's Variety Store. 1f

LOST.—Black and white fox terrier, Oct. 9, answers to the name of Babe. Finder notify John Schwenk, Phone 52. 3t-pd

FOR SALE.—Fine 50-acre farm. Must be sold immediately. For particulars inquire at this office. 1-pd

FOR RENT.—Apartment of rooms suitable for office or living rooms, over Otto's Drug Store. Inquire of Ed Pomianville. 2t

REGISTERED.—Registered Guernsey bull calf, 4 weeks old. Kronholm Bros. Stock Farm, Grand Rapids, Wisconsin. R. D. 4.

FOR SALE.—My Ford touring car fully equipped with self-starter. In fine shape. Ray Johnson.

HOUSE FOR RENT.—One block from St. Paul depot. John Mosher. 2t

WANTED.—Girl for general housework. Telephone 198 between 5 p. m. After 5, call 421.

FOR RENT.—House at 1980 Washington Ave. by Peter Schuetz, R. 5, Grand Rapids, Wis.

—112 TO 217-ACRE FARM—With improvements for sale cheap and on easy payments. Will take some Grand Rapids property in exchange. L. Amundson. 1f.

LOST.—Friday, Oct. 20 7-months old round pup, white and black, answers to name of Jimmie. Finder notify Stanley Pae, Port Edwards, or phone Port Edwards meat market. Reward offered. 1t-pd

LOST.—A tan rain coat some time Saturday night on Vesper road. Finder will receive reward by returning to Mrs. Charles Natwick.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Four room house and lot near furniture factory. Frank Marach, 111, 3rd Ave. N. 31pd

FOR RENT.—Modern 5 and 6 room flats with bath. Janitor service and hot and cold water year round, steam heat. Apply to Taylor, Scott & Daly.

CABINET MAKERS & MACHINE HANDS WANTED.—On bank, store and office fixtures. Steady work, room wages, no labor troubles. Apply C. F. Kade Fixture & Show Case Co., Plymouth, Wisconsin. 1t

FOR SALE.—Two bay horses about 1400 lbs. each, 5 and 6 years old; one black mare, 1300 lbs., 3 years old; two black mare colts, one year old the 10th of last June, also one spring colt born the 20th of April. These animals will be sold very reasonable. A. E. Vailin, R. 2, B 70, Grand Rapids, Telephone 424, Rudolph. 31f

FOR SALE.—Some fine Holstein bulls and heifers from untested and tested cows. Remember the Pontiac's. Our sire grandson of Pontiac Korndyke. Also young team of horses cheap. Hagar Holstein Farm, Anwa, Wisconsin.

FOR SALE.—40-acre farm with modern improvements, known as the Belvidere farm, 4 miles from city in town of Sigel. Sold cheap if taken at once. \$1400 down with interest at 5 per cent will take the place. Wm. C. Crosland, Inglewood Farm, R. 4.

FOR SALE.—Classy, speedy and powerful Buick roadster. Fine mechanical shape. Cheap. Inquire at this office. 1f

FOR SALE.—Driving horse. Emil Henke, 15th Ave. North.

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MISS ANELLA TESKE

Miss Anella Teske, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reinhold Teske, of the town of Sigel and Mr. Otto Middleton of this city were married on Wednesday afternoon at St. John's Lutheran church in the town of Sigel, Rev. Gieselman performing the ceremony. Miss Sophia Middleton acted in the capacity of bridesmaid and Mr. Wm. Teske was best man. After the ceremony the guests went to the home of the bride's parents where a fine dinner was served and at the conclusion of this the many guests present engaged in merrymaking. Both of the young people are well and favorably known in this city and have many friends here to wish them a happy journey thru life. After a short wedding trip spent in Chicago and Milwaukee they will return to this city to make their home.

A SUCKER BORN EVERY MINUTE

It was a rich harvest that a gang of Minneapolis grafters reaped while it lasted on the proposition of sending a silk petticoat provided the party would send them 10 cents and write five letters to friends. It seems that thousands bit on the scheme, and the postoffice authorities report that as high as 25,000 dimes were received in a day.

FIXED UNDER HOG RACK

Charles Horn, a farmer living north of Pittsboro, was tipped from his wagon on the way home from market last Saturday evening and pinned under a hog rack in such a manner that his face was buried in the ground, and he had a narrow escape from being smothered. A farmer near where the accident occurred rendered him assistance, and after considerable work the man was restored to consciousness, but it was a narrow escape from death. A companion with him was unable to render any assistance.

WILL SPEAK HERE MONDAY

The Hon. J. Addison Campbell of Chicago, an orator of more than passing ability, will be in this city on Monday evening next to speak at the G. A. R. hall before the Wilson Club. Mr. Campbell is not only a good talker but he will be on hand to fill the date, and those who want to hear a good speech should make it a point to be present at the meeting that night.

NEW DOCTOR HERE

Dr. O. N. Mortensen, who has been located in Green Bay for some time past, has rented office rooms in the Nash block and arrived in the city Saturday and has since been busy getting his office into shape for the practice of medicine. The doctor reports that he is paying particular attention to the surgical end of the business.

HELD A FINE SUPPER

The ladies of the First Moravian church served a chicken pie supper on Wednesday evening and there was a large number in attendance to partake of the good things that were set out. The tables were filled that had been set in the church basement and everybody reported themselves greatly pleased with the fare set forth.

JURY IS DISCHARGED

Judge Park discharged the jurors on Wednesday, all of whom in the calendar had been tried by jury this term having been cleaned up. There are a number of cases that will be tried by the court before the term is over.

A BIG POTATO

J. B. Peterson of the town of Sigel brought in a big potato on Saturday while in the office to pay his subscription, and the specimen is a good one. It is of the Green Mountain variety, and at the rate potatoes are selling this fall is worth preserving.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peerenboom returned on Sunday from Appleton where they had been to attend the funeral of Mrs. Peerenboom's foster mother. Sam Howard burst a blood vessel in his right arm on Monday, the trouble being caused by a fall. The accident will prevent the use of the arm for a time. The Catholic Lady Foresters held a social session and initiation at the Forester hall on Wednesday evening. Miss Maud Robins of Rudolph was initiated into the order. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hooten of Everett, Washington, who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Goggins, departed for their western home on Monday. William Wasser who has been residing at Green Bay the past year, has been transferred to the Nekeosa branch of the Northwestern and will move here with his family. It is understood that the Nekeosa-Edwards Co. expect to spend a half million dollars on improvements next summer, among which will be the improving of the South Side dam. The Stevens Point Elks will put on their annual minstrel show at the Normal Auditorium on Monday and Tuesday, October 30 and 31. A number from here will attend the show. Mrs. Henry Yetter entertained at a miscellaneous shower at her home on Friday evening in honor of Miss Anella Teske. Refreshments were served and a delightful evening was spent by all present. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond O'Hare left today for Waterloo, Iowa, after spending the past two months with Mrs. O'Hare's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kirkland. Mrs. R. O'Hare was formerly Miss Mayne Kirkland. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson and Miss Irma Johnson have returned from an auto trip to Marinette and Green Bay. While at Marinette they were guests at the home of Mr. Wilson, former manager of the Johnson & Hill Co's store. Mr. and Mrs. John Klein of Wausau have been guests at the Frank Wagner home the past week. This is Mr. Klein's first visit to this city in thirty-eight years and he was much surprised at the wonderful advancement of our city. Paul Hammerly, who has been employed at the Weeks Marble Works for a number of years, has resigned his position and will leave with his family in a short time for Menomonee where he has purchased a marble works. Atty. W. E. Wheelan and A. J. Crowns are putting in considerable of their time these days in making campaign speeches through the country for the reelection of President Wilson. They are both enthusiastic Wilson men and report that the sentiment for his election is very strong in the country.

MISS EVA LIND VISITED IN Fond du Lac several days the past week.

Miss Eva Lind visited in Fond du Lac several days the past week. Eph. Church returned last week from a visit at his old home in Canada. Mrs. Knute Olson will entertain the Scandinavian Ladies Aid Society on Thursday, November 2nd. Mrs. C. C. Rowley of Winnebago has been visiting her mother, Mrs. P. P. Daly, during the past week. Anton Bros. J. Q. Daniels and W. B. Bowden of Babcock were business visitors in the city on Tuesday. Miss Anna Sundman of Stevens Point spent Sunday in the city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sandman. Mr. and Mrs. William Tefau were in Marshfield last Thursday to see Dr. Hipke concerning Mrs. Tefau's eyes. John M. Johnson, one of the solid farmers of the town of Rudolph favored this office with a pleasant call on Saturday. Mrs. J. Meddaugh is a patient at the Riverside hospital where she is receiving treatments for inflammatory rheumatism. W. A. Brazau, who has been visiting relatives in this city and friends at Stevens Point, left on Friday for his home in Spokane. Mrs. John Griennon has received word from Washington that her pension has been increased to \$20 per month under the new law. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daly drove over to the neighborhood of Neillsville on Sunday to visit with Miss Jeanette, who is teaching over there. James Derrall of Britt, Iowa, was in the city on Wednesday to interview the Road Construction company in regard to some dredging business. We handle Abstracts of Title, Loans, Collections, Real Estate and Fire Insurance. Come in and see our office in the Mackinac block. 3t Harry Kempfort, superintendent of the Grand Rapids Street Railway Co., spent several days the past week visiting with his mother at Appleton and looking after some business matters. The Elks have rigged up a shower bath in the basement of the club house, and it is possible that other appliances may be installed in time which will encourage the members to take exercise. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Borington made a trip to Westfield on Sunday by motorcar. They had a breakdown at Friendship and had to wait until repairs were brought down from this city. N. Weiland of Appleton, who has been a guest at the homes of his daughters, Mrs. J. B. Arpin and Mrs. N. Rolland, and son, H. B. Weiland, the past week, returned to his home on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Brown of Tomahawk visited at the Brown home on Eighth street during the past week. While here they purchased an inner player Cable-Nelson piano from Mrs. George Forrand. W. H. Carey and Will Moyer arrived on Monday from Bartlesville, Oklahoma. Mr. Moyer having been suffering from a nervous prostration that he hopes to recover from by taking a rest up in this country. Paul Zimmerman was among the pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Saturday. Mr. Zimmerman was in the city to meet his daughter, Mrs. Gerie Keyes of Minneapolis, who was coming down to attend the wedding of her sister. W. H. Heath, who has been the local news editor of the Reporter for a number of years past, has severed his connection with that paper and left on Tuesday for Chilton where he will affiliate himself with one of the papers in that city. The evident thing to do before your property burns is to eliminate worry by insuring in the right companies, with the right agent. Insist on one of our fire insurance policies. See Edward Pomianville, dealer in Real Estate and Insurance. 3t G. H. Munroe of Kellner has recently enlarged his telephone exchange by the addition of nine more phones. He has also put in another circuit between his place and this city, thereby giving his patrons better service than they had before. Neil Grignon, who is serving in the U. S. Navy on board the battleship Texas, has been visiting friends and relatives in this city during the past week. Mr. Grignon has been a member of the navy for several years past and likes the work in fine shape. Mrs. David Forrand and daughter of Madison spent last week in this city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Forrand. They, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Forrand of this city left yesterday by auto for Mauston where they will visit with relatives. W. L. Smith of Neillsville has been selected by the republicans of Clark county as assemblyman to fill the vacancy caused by the death of their candidate, C. M. Bradford. Among the candidates for the place was R. W. Monk of Neillsville, who was defeated at the primaries by I. P. Witter.

W. F. COLLINS WAS CALLED TO STEVENS POINT

W. F. Collins was called to Stevens Point the fore part of the week to attend the funeral of his sister, who died on Sunday at St. Mary's hospital in Oshkosh. Deceased, whose name was Mrs. Anna Collins Wood, was 39 years of age, and since her marriage in 1909 has made her residence in Chicago. The funeral was held on Wednesday at Stevens Point.

OTTE THORSON, WHO HAS BEEN EMPLOYED AT THE NEKOOSA-EDWARDS MILL AT PORT EDWARDS THE PAST EIGHT YEARS, DEPARTED SATURDAY FOR CLOQUET, MINNESOTA, FOR A WEEKS VISIT BEFORE GOING TO MILLWOOD, WASHINGTON, WHERE HE GOES TO ACCEPT A POSITION AS HEAD COOKER IN THE PAPER MILL THERE. HE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY RILEY DENTON, WHO WILL WORK WITH HIM.

A PARTY OF YOUNG PEOPLE WHO WERE SUPPOSED TO BE LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN, WAS SUBSEQUENTLY ACCOUNTED FOR BY APPEARING ON THE SCENE AND STATING THAT THEY HAD BEEN STUCK IN THE MUD IN THE WILDS OF ADAMS COUNTY, DOWN IN THE BIG FLATS COUNTRY. THEY STARTED OUT SUNDAY EVENING AND WERE UNABLE TO GET HOME THAT NIGHT, BUT SHOWED UP MONDAY AFTERNOON, NONE THE WORSE FOR THEIR EXPERIENCE.

HERMAN HEISER OF THE TOWN OF SIGEL CALLED AT THE TRIBUNE OFFICE ON MONDAY WHILE IN THE CITY ON BUSINESS. MR. HEISER WAS ONE OF THE EARLY SETTLERS IN THIS SECTION, HAVING COME HERE MORE THAN FORTY YEARS AGO, AT WHICH TIME IT WAS NECESSARY TO WALK THE TRIP FROM NEW LISBON HERE BY STAGE. MR. HEISER SUBSEQUENTLY TOOK UP A FARM OUT IN THE TOWN OF SIGEL AND HAS LIVED THERE EVER SINCE.

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We want every housewife to try Cream Coffee. We know you will like it. Put up in 5 lb. tin pails. Why not use a high grade coffee when you can buy it at a moderate price, only 30c the pound. It goes farther and tastes better than cheaper or other grades.

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9 bars Galvanic Soap.....35c  
Grandmas Washing Powder, 1 lb. package.....2c  
Palm Olive Soap, 2 bars.....15c  
Britts Ammonia Powder, 1 lb. package.....5c  
Try this Britts Powder—it's good

FREE SATURDAY ONLY!

A copy of the latest popular hit, "When Jap Rose Takes Her Sunday Morning Bath." Words and music complete FREE with each purchase of 3 bars of JAP ROSE SOAP for.....25c

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WOODSMEN'S WAGES, LIKE WAGES IN ALL OTHER INDUSTRIES, HAVE BEEN RAISED ALL OVER THE COUNTRY. AT DULUTH COMMON LABORERS ARE BEING PAID \$35 A MONTH AND BOARD. TEAMSTERS AND LOADERS GET \$45, FORMER PAY WAS \$35 TO \$30. ABOUT 11,000 MEN WILL BE EMPLOYED IN THE MINNESOTA WOODS THIS WINTER.

Speaking of advertising, here is what some of the publishers charge for space: Ladies' Home Journal, \$8 per line, \$104 per inch and \$6,000 for a full page in a single issue. A full page advertisement in the Saturday Evening Post in a single issue costs \$5,000 and the back cover sells for \$7,000. The center double page in colors is \$12,000. As their advertising space is always filled, it is evident that advertising pays even at these big prices, or the firm wouldn't continue to make the expenditure. —Mauston Daily Herald.

Legal Blanks for sale at this office

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By a few days of mild weather, for our old friend Winter is liable to start his annual donation any day. Are you prepared?

Everything to keep you warm from head to foot—and you can be sure that its all Full Valued and Right Priced.

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Medium and heavy weight, rich, colorful fabric, skillfully tailored, finely trimmed and neatly fitted to you

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HOUSE FOR RENT—One block from St. Paul depot. John Mosher. 11-12.

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework in family of two. No washing. Mrs. R. M. Rogers. Phone 368.

FOR SALE—One fresh milk cow, age 3 years. Call 1011. A. A. Mohr. 11-13.

FOR SALE—Four-cylinder Hupmobile in good running order, for \$125. Call at once. Fred Sweeney. 11-14.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Geo. H. Miller, 111 St. Louis. Phone 715.

WANTED—Young girl for candy store. Saturday only. Howard's Variety Store.

LOST—Black and white fox terrier, 10 months old, name of Duke. Finder return to John Schowald, Phone 52.

FOR SALE—Fine 30-acre farm. Must be sold immediately. For particulars inquire at this office. 11-15.

FOR RENT—A number of rooms suitable for office or living room, over O'Connell's store. Inquire of J. E. Ponder. 11-16.

FOR SALE—Registered Greyhound bull dog, 1 week old. Kromhold Bros. Stock Farm, Grand Rapids. 11-17.

FOR SALE—My Ford touring car fully equipped with starter. In line shape. Ray Johnson. 11-18.

HOUSE FOR RENT—One block from St. Paul depot. John Mosher. 11-19.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Telephone 198 before 5 p. m. After 5 p. m. 121.

FOR RENT—House at 1086 Washington Ave. by Peter Schuch, R. 2, Grand Rapids, Wis.

112 to 217-ACRE FARM—With improvements for sale cheap and on easy payments. Will take some Grand Rapids property in exchange. L. Amundson. 11-20.

LOST—Friday, Oct. 29 7-months old bound pup, white and black, answers to name of Jimmie. Finder return to Mrs. Edwards next market. Reward offered. 11-21.

LOST—A tan rain coat some Thursday night, on Vesper road. Finder will receive reward by returning to Mrs. Charles Natchik.

FOR SALE—CHEAP—Four room house and lot near furniture factory. Frank March, 111, 3rd Ave. N. 31st.

FOR RENT—Modern 3 and 6 room bath and bath, janitor service and hot and cold water year round, steam heat. Apply to Taylor, Scott & Daly.

CABINET MAKERS & MACHINE HANDS WANTED—On bank, store and other business. Steady work, good wages, no labor troubles. Apply C. E. Kade, Rydman & Shaw Case Co., Plymouth, Wisconsin.

FOR SALE—Two bay horses about 1 year old, dark and light, also one black mare, 1 year old, 3 years old, red black mare colts, one year old the 10th of last June, also one spring colt born the 20th of April. These animals will be sold very reasonable. A. E. Vail, R. 2, B. 7th, Grand Rapids, Telephone 441. 11-22.

FOR SALE—Some fine Holstein bulls and heifers from Extended and factored cows. Remember the Pontiacs. Our sire grandson of Pontiac Korndyke. Also young team of horses cheap. Horvath Holstela Farm, Antwa, Wisconsin.

FOR SALE—In here farm with modern improvements, known as the Baldwin farm, 4 miles from city in town of Sigel. Sold cheap if taken at once. \$14,000 down with interest at 5 per cent will take the place. Wm. C. Grosland, Inglewood Farm, R. 4.

FOR SALE—Chassy, speedy and powerful Buick roadster. Fine mechanical shop. Cheap. Inquire at this office. 11-23.

FOR SALE—Driving horse. Emil Hoken, 18th Ave. North.

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TESKA-MIDDLESTEAD

Miss Amelia Teska, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Teska of the town of Sigel and Mr. Otto Middlestead of this city were married on Wednesday afternoon at St. John's Lutheran church in the town of Sigel, Wis. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. E. Ponder, pastor of the church. Miss Sophia Middlestead acted in the capacity of bridesmaid and Mr. Wm. Teska was best man.

After the ceremony the guests went to the home of the bride's parents where a fine dinner was served and at the conclusion of this the many guests present engaged in merrymaking.

Each of the young people are well and favorably known in this city and have many friends here to wish them a happy journey thru life. After a short wedding trip spent in Chicago and Milwaukee, they will return to this city to make their home.

A SUCKER BORN EVERY MINUTE

It was a rich harvest that a gang of Minneapolis graders reaped while they were on the proposition of building a sidewalk provided the party would send them 10 cents and write five letters to friends. It seems that thousands bit on this bait and the postoffice authorities report that as high as 25,000 times were received in a day.

After an effort has been made to get to the head of the scheme, it is proposed to do so. Where the letters are returned on the envelope the letters are returned but this cannot be done where there is no address.

PINNED UNDER HOR RACK

Charles Horn, a farmer living north of Pittsville, was tipped from his wagon on the way home from market last Saturday evening and pinned under a hog rack in such a manner that his face was buried in the ground, and he had a narrow escape from being smothered. A farmer near where the accident occurred, who saw the accident, and after considerable work the man was restored to consciousness, but it was a narrow escape from death. A companion with him was unable to render any assistance.

WILL SPEAK HERE MONDAY

The Hon. J. Addison Campbell of Chicago, an orator of more than passing ability, will be in this city on Monday evening next to speak at the G. A. R. hall before the Wilson Club.

Mr. Campbell is not only a good orator but he will be on hand to fill the date, and the speaker is a good one. The tables were filled that had been set in the church basement and everybody reported themselves greatly pleased with the fare set out.

NEW DOCTOR HERE

Dr. O. N. Mortensen, who has been located in Green Bay for some time past, has rented office rooms in the Nash block and arrived in the city Saturday and has since been busy settling his office into shape for the practice of medicine. The doctor reports that he is paying particular attention to the surgical end of the business.

HELD A FINE SUPPER

The ladies of the First Moravian church served a chicken pie supper on Wednesday evening and there was a large number in attendance. The supper was a fine one and the tables were filled that had been set in the church basement and everybody reported themselves greatly pleased with the fare set out.

JURY IS DISCHARGED

Judge Park discharged the jurors on Wednesday, after the trial of the case of Mrs. Peerenboom's foster mother.

A BIG POTATO

J. H. Peterson of the town of Sigel brought in a big potato on Saturday while in the office to pay his subscription, and the specimen is a good one. It is of the Green Mountain variety, and at the rate potatoes are selling this fall is worth preserving.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peerenboom returned on Sunday from Appleton where they had been to attend the funeral of Mrs. Peerenboom's foster mother.

Sam Howard burst a blood vessel in his right arm on Monday, the trouble being caused by a fall. The accident will prevent the use of the arm for a time.

The Catholic Lady Foresters held a social session and initiation at the Forester hall on Wednesday evening. Miss Anna Tobias of Rudolph was initiated into the order.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hooten of Everett, Washington, who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Goggin, departed for their resort home on Monday.

William Wasser who has been residing at Green Bay the past year, has been transferred on the Nokosau branch of the Northwestern and will move here with his family.

It is understood that the Nekosau-Edwards Co. expect to spend a half million dollars on improvements next summer, among which will be the improving of the South Side dam.

The Stevens Point Elks will put on their annual minstrel show at the National Auditorium on Monday and Tuesday, October 30 and 31. A number from here will attend the show.

Mrs. Henry Yatter entertained at a miscellaneous shower at her home on Friday evening in honor of Miss Amelia Teska. Refreshments were served and a delightful evening was spent by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond O'Hare left today for Waterloo, Iowa, after spending the past two months with O'Hare's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kirkland. Mrs. O'Hare was formerly Miss Mayme Kirkland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson and Miss Irma Johnson have returned from an auto trip to Marinette and Green Bay. While at Marinette they were guests at the home of Mr. Wilson, former manager of the Johnson & Hill Co's store.

Mr. and Mrs. John Klein of Wausau have been guests at the Frank Wagner home the past week. This is Mr. Klein's first visit to this city in thirty-eight years and he was much surprised at the wonderful advancement of our city.

Paul Hammerly, who has been employed at the Weeks Marble Works for a number of years, has resigned his position and will leave with his family in a short time for Menomonie where he has purchased a marble works.

Atty. W. E. Wheelan and A. J. Crowns are putting in considerable of their time these days in making campaign speeches thruout the county for the re-election of President Wilson. They are both enthusiastic and report that the sentiment for his election is very strong in the county.

Wausau Pilot: An action has been commenced in circuit court by Mrs. Ruth A. Burnell for a divorce from her husband, Chas. Burnell, on a charge of desertion and non-support of herself and minor child. She also asks for the care and custody of the child. Mrs. Burnell was formerly Miss Ruth Hutchinson of this city.

W. F. Collins was called to Stevens Point the fore part of the week to attend the funeral of his sister, who died on Sunday at St. Mary's hospital in Oshkosh. Deceased, whose name was Mrs. Anna Collins Wood, was 29 years of age, and since her marriage in 1909 has made her residence in Chicago. The funeral was held on Wednesday at Stevens Point.

Otto Thorson, who has been employed at the Nekosau-Edwards mill at Port Edwards the past eight years, departed Saturday for Cloquet, Minnesota, for a weeks visit before going to Milwaukee, Wisconsin, where he goes to accept a position as head cook in the paper mill there. He was accompanied by Riley Denton, who will work with him.

A party of young people who were supposed to be lost, strayed or stolen, was subsequently accounted for by appearing on the scene and stating that they had been stuck in the mud in the wilds of Adams county, where they were hunting for a fox. They started out Sunday evening and were unable to get home that night, but showed up Monday afternoon, none the worse for their experience.

Herman Heiser of the town of Sigel called at the Tribune office on Monday while in the city on business. Mr. Heiser was one of the early settlers in this section, having come here more than 70 years ago, at which time it was necessary to make the trip from New Lisbon here by stage. Mr. Heiser subsequently took up a farm out in the town of Sigel and has lived there ever since.

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Six young men, all more or less peppered with the shot were brought to the hospital in this city last Sunday to be relieved of the pellets that were buried deep in their flesh. All were residents of a community near Thorp. On the night before their arrival here, with a number of others, they went to a neighbors for the purpose of carrying on a charivari. Before they had time to get their music started the man of the house appeared with a shot gun and fired both barrels into the crowd wounding no less than ten of the party, but none fatally. One of the party brought here had eight shot picked out of his head.—Marshfield Herald.

Mrs. Warren Huntsinger of Eau Claire is in the city visiting with her daughter, Mrs. William Tefau, and also her granddaughter, Mrs. Pearl Bunzell.

Nekosau Tribune: While returning from a dance held at Nekosau five of our young men miraculously escaped serious injury if not death when the automobile in which they were riding struck a hole in the road which recent rains had made on the Bank Hill and rolled over down the embankment. Even the fence which guarded this place failed to stop the car, and it rolled over once and a half landing up against a tree, with the engine still running. The boys were Carl Stollmacker, Chas. Leis, Mark Huber, Jos. Arnold and Joseph Wipfel. Not one of them received more than slight bruises from bumping against the car, which had its top, a lamp, running boards, fenders and wind shield damaged beyond repair.

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ENGINEER AND FIREMAN MEET  
DEATH IN TRAIN WRECK  
NEAR MANITOWOC.

## BELIEVE WORK OF LUNATIC

Fifth Attempt to Cause Disaster to  
Flier in Successful and Author-  
ities Seek Inmate Man  
as Perpetrator.

Manitowoc—Two men were killed when a passenger train No. 111, en route from Milwaukee to Ashland, plunged through an open switch, demolishing the locomotive, tender, mail and express coaches. The wreck occurred one-half mile west of Manitowoc.

The dead are: Robert Fitzgerald, 60, engineer, Milwaukee; scalded and head crushed. Albert Duchesne, 35, fireman, Green Bay; mangled and buried beneath engine.

Fitzgerald's body, horribly scalded, was taken from the wrecked engine an hour after the machinations of the wreckers took effect. Duchesne's body was not discovered until the wreckage was lifted.

This was the fifth attempt within the last two years to "get" his train. Last spring the suspected criminals partially accomplished their design when the engine of the same train was derailed in the Calumet yards, near here.

Since that time, officials have ordered engineers to run slowly when approaching Manitowoc. The fact that Fitzgerald obeyed that order and was holding his engine down below twenty miles an hour saved passengers' lives. The coaches did not leave the tracks.

The disaster happened as a result of a switch being thrown open and a green light being turned on, signaling the engineer that he had an open track. The locomotive ran along the track for 200 yards, dragging the express and mail coaches with it.

## KILLED BY STRIKE BREAKER

Chippewa Falls Shoemaker Stabbed in  
Abdomen and Bleeds to Death  
Within a Few Minutes.

Chippewa Falls—When William Novack, 20, a shoemaker from another local factory, attempted to platoon the arms of Mike Vaskas, alleged strike breaker from St. Paul in the employ of the L. W. Shoe company, who it is said was striking in all directions with a dagger to keep a large crowd of union sympathizers away from him, Novack was struck in the abdomen and bled to death in five minutes.

Vaskas was captured by the police in the factory, where he had fled, and hurried away in an automobile from the enraged crowd to the jail. Another alleged strike breaker was caught and beaten. He was rescued by the police.

William Weyenberg, owner of the L. W. factory, left the city when a threatening crowd of 500 strike sympathizers surrounded his home. He ordered the factory closed.

## Lost Hunter Returns.

Winter—Henry Krumble, 17 years old, who was lost hunting near here, found his way back to civilization in the clearing of David Bryant after wandering through the woods for two days. The first night he was lost he slept in a crotch in a tree and watched wolf cub play.

## Aerialist Returns Home.

Stevens Point—Sergeant Felix Kluck, 24, a Portage county boy, injured in a 500-foot aeroplane fall at Eagle Pass, Tex., June 13, is at home after five months in the hospital. He suffered fractures of the skull and collar bone. He will do recruiting duty here.

## To Hunt Ferocious Wolf.

Monroe—Farmers near Monticello are hoping for the first snowfall, after which they will organize a hunt for a large and ferocious wolf which has been attacking sheep and calves.

## Breaks Neck; Lives Two Days.

Manitowoc—Rudolph Meyer, town of Two Rivers, who suffered a broken neck when he was thrown from a colt on his farm, died at the hospital two days after the accident.

## Bread Up to 7 Cents.

La Crosse—While most cities in Wisconsin are paying 6 cents a loaf for bread, bakers announced that the price will go up to 7 cents in La Crosse.

## Ginseng Growing a Failure.

Madison—The growing of ginseng has been tried and about the city without success. The gardens are being abandoned. Langlade county is claimed to be the richest ginseng center in the country.

## Arrest Fifteen Speeders.

Portage—Fifteen automobile drivers were brought into justice court here in one day charged with violating speed ordinances by Sheriff Breife. Pleas of guilty were entered in most cases.

## Oshkosh Assessment Decreases.

Oshkosh—This city is worth \$22,500,170, City Assessor John C. Voss reports. This is \$189,398 less than the 1915 assessment, despite an increase of \$144,325 in real estate figures. Bank stock owned in Oshkosh is valued at \$154,250.

## Girl Gets Valuable Pelt.

Barron—Julia Kariand, student in Barron High school, has returned from Deer Lake, Mich., with the pelt of a red fox which she killed while hunting.

## Want Reader of Literature.

Madison—At a meeting of the board of visitors of the University of Wisconsin it was recommended for consideration by the regents that a reader of literature be employed at the university.

## Complete New Thoroughfare.

Neenah—The Nicolet avenue boulevard, dividing this city and Menasha, has just been completed. The highway is a mile in length and the finest thoroughfare in the Fox valley.

## CONFESSES TO MURDER PLOT

Sheboygan Couple Conspired to Slay  
Mrs. Ernest Aldag, Jr., So They  
Could Wed, Police Say.

Sheboygan—In a written confession to the police, Miss Marie Sadlier, 27 years old, admitted that when she made the assault with a cold chisel upon Mrs. Ernest Aldag, Jr., it was part of a carefully concocted plot to do away with the woman so that she could marry Mr. Aldag, the authorities say.

As a result of these disclosures, Ernest Aldag, Jr., 43 years old, well known hardware merchant, was arrested. Formal charges of assault, with intent to do great bodily harm were preferred against him and Miss Sadlier, and bail for each was fixed at \$5,000.

Mrs. Aldag received a telephone call from her husband, asking her to go downstairs to the hardware store and give some figures to him over the telephone. She had barely entered the dark store when she was set upon by a woman who struck her three times over the head with a cold chisel. Mrs. Aldag managed to winch the weapon from the other woman, who fled.

Suspicion pointed to Miss Sadlier, and the police took her into custody. The girl steadily protested innocence, but under the constant grilling of the police, she broke down, the authorities claim, and made a complete disclosure of the alleged plot. According to the girl, the telephone call and the ensuing encounter had been planned by Mr. Aldag.

Aldag denied he had conspired with Miss Sadlier in the attack. He admitted, however, the police say, that he had been on intimate terms with the girl for the last year.

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London, Oct. 19.—A Reuter's dispatch from Athens says:

"The situation appears to be dangerous. There have been royalist demonstrations in the streets. Vice Admiral de Forne, commander of the fleet, is expected to be in the Mediterranean, and a detachment of French sailors was driven back by a hostile crowd."

"A procession of some 4,000 malcontents, headed by the Greek and American flags, stopped outside the American legation, protesting against the landing of foreign marines and demanding the protection of the American minister, who was absent."

"The demonstrators then paraded the streets, singing the Greek national anthem."

Vice Admiral de Forne has handed the Greek government a new note of an extremely grave character, says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Athens. Following the presentation of the note King Constantine, it is added, came to the capital in haste from the royal residence at Taioi.

The railway stations of Athens and Piræus, the city hall at the capital and the Cassala barracks have been occupied by 1,000 French and Italian sailors, while 150 bluejackets with two machine guns have been stationed in the municipal theater, according to a Reuter dispatch from Athens.

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Manitowoc, Wis., Oct. 21.—The Ashland limited train on the Northwest line running from Chicago to Ashland, was wrecked in the local yards Wednesday night. Engineer Robert Fitzgerald of Milwaukee was killed and Albert Duchesne, fireman, of Green Bay, is believed to be buried under the wreckage. Several persons on the train received minor injuries. The wreck was caused by someone throwing a switch, after breaking a lock, and turning the switch light indicating a clear track. The engine rolled over on its side and the baggage car and tender went into a ditch six feet down the embankment. It was the fifth attempt in several months to wreck this train.

## VON KLUCK IS RETIRED

German Field Marshal, Who Led Drive  
on Paris, Quits Vol-  
untarily.

Berlin, via London, Oct. 21.—Field Marshal Alexander H. R. von Kluck, who commanded the right wing of the German army in its sweep toward Paris in the fall of 1914, has been placed on the retired list, at his own request. He had never returned to the front since he was wounded by shrapnel fire.

## Take U. S. Boat Off Iceland.

London, Oct. 21.—The American fishing schooner Richard W. Clarke has been captured in the waters around Iceland and taken to Grimsby. The schooner Richard W. Clarke measures 503 gross tons.

## Naval Station Damaged.

Washington, Oct. 21.—Extensive damage to the naval aeronautical station at Pensacola, Fla., by the storm that swept the Gulf states was reported to the navy department in the first official report of the storm's effect.

## Hand, Band Leader, Dies.

Chicago, Oct. 20.—Johnny Hand died at a private sanitarium here on Wednesday. The famous bandmaster was born October 23, 1831, in Waders on the Moselle, a village in the Rhensish province of Prussia.

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SEVERAL CITIES HIT BY SHOCKS  
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Wind Blows at Rate of One Hundred  
Miles an Hour at Mobile—  
Ships Wrecked.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 20.—The South was rocked by earthquake and swept by storm at the same time on Thursday. While a tropical hurricane was laying the Gulf coast, earth tremors overturned chimneys and frightened many people from their homes in Georgia, Alabama and Tennessee.

The earthquake did little damage, but a wind that reached a velocity of 114 miles an hour lifted roofs from houses at Pensacola, Fla., and sank a number of vessels in the harbor. One life was lost. The property loss was estimated at \$1,000,000.

Mobile reported that it had been touched more lightly, although the wind blew 110 miles an hour. Two small buildings were destroyed and a negro woman was killed by a live wire. Shipping at Mobile had been warned and apparently suffered little harm.

Two river steamers were sunk, a schooner and a steamer were driven ashore and small boats were lost. The earth shocks were felt severely after four o'clock and were most numerous at Montgomery and Birmingham, Ala., where swaying office buildings were emptied within a few minutes. In these cities chimneys were destroyed and articles were hurled from shelves in residences and shops.

The earthquake was felt as far north as Louisville, Ky., and east to Augusta, Ga. Its duration was about three minutes and there were two shocks.

## RESCUE CHIEF DIES IN MINE

Engineer Seeking Entombed Men Is  
Asphyxiated by Deadly Gas—  
Four Bodies Recovered.

Fairmont, W. Va., Oct. 23.—L. M. Jones, a mining engineer sent to Burksville, near here, in charge of a trained crew from the Pittsburgh station of the bureau of mines to conduct the work of rescue at the Jamison mine, where more than a dozen men had been entombed by an explosion, was asphyxiated in the workings. The body of Matthew Allison, the chief electrician, who was at work in the mine when the explosion occurred, was brought out. Three other bodies were recovered, among them Allison's assistant, A. W. Vance.

## TEUTONS DEFEAT RUSS ARMY

Austro-German Force Cuts Foe's Line  
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Berlin, Oct. 19.—A crushing defeat of the Russian army attacking the Lemberg defense lines was announced on Tuesday by the war office. The Teutons took 1,930 prisoners on a front of a mile and a half, taking 1,930 prisoners. Tea machine guns were captured.

Petrograd, Oct. 19.—Following a bombardment the Austro-German troops southeast of Lemberg have begun a series of counter-attacks.

## Big Increase in Exports.

New York, Oct. 23.—Domestic exports from New York during September were greater by more than \$100,000,000 than shipments in the corresponding month of 1915, according to Malone, collector of the port.

## Crude Oil at Record Price.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 23.—Crude oil went back to its record price here when the principal purchasing agencies, at the opening of the market, announced an advance of ten cents a barrel on all grades.

## Test Armored Railroad Car.

New York, Oct. 21.—An armored railroad car, designed for patrol work for the U. S. army and for action against mobile troop organizations, has been given its trial test at the Sandy Hook proving grounds.

## Austrian Losses 40,000.

Rome, Oct. 21.—Italians continue to push their new offensive toward Trieste. It was estimated that the Austrians have lost 40,000 in killed, wounded and captured since the offensive began.

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Cleveland, O., Oct. 23.—Another tragedy of Lake Erie's "Black Friday," which cost the lives of 21 men, came to light, wave-borne, when a life-raft, to which Capt. Walter Grashaw of the whaleback steamer James H. Colgate had clung since she foundered 34 hours before, was picked up off Rondeau, Canada, and taken to Conneaut, O.

Nineteen men were sucked down to death when the steamer foundered Friday night off Long Point, opposite Erie, and Captain Grashaw's two companions on the life-raft were washed away just as the rescue ship, car ferry steamer Marquette No. 2, came plowing through the waves toward them. Grashaw is the sole survivor of the Colgate's crew of 22.

Two Slip Off Raft.  
Human strength and tenacity of life succumbed to the deadly cold of the waves and their continuous lashing. Second Engineer Harry Oesman and coal passer, whose name Captain Grashaw did not know, slipped from the raft just as the Marquette swung around to take them off.

The circumstances of their death closely paralleled the end of Oscar Johnson Saturday morning when he slipped from the rigging of the D. L. Flier, sunk near Detroit, just as the steamer Western States was about to take him off and Captain Mattison of the Flier.

Now mounting the top of a wave, now engulfed, the life-raft to which Captain Grashaw and his companions clung was shaken by the wheelman of the Marquette in the afternoon. The three figures, rope-entangled, were prone on it, and at every onslaught of the seas they washed back and forth, apparently lifeless.

One Man Remains.  
The captain was notified and the ferry steamer quickly directed her course toward the bit of jettison. Just as she rounded to, an unusually large wave, as if enraged at seeing its prey escape, swept over the raft. As it receded only one man remained, and far off two grotesquely twisted figures sank slowly beneath the green waters.

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Fifth Attempt to Cause Disaster to Flier Is Successful and Authorities Seek Insane Man as Perpetrator.

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The dead were: Robert Fitzgerald, 49, engineer, Milwaukee; and local resident, Albert Duchsne, 35, fireman, Green Bay; mangled and burned beyond recovery.

Fitzgerald's body, horribly scalded, was taken from the wrecked engine an hour after the crash. Duchsne's body was not discovered until the wreckage was lifted.

This was the fifth attempt within the last two years to "get" his train, says a Milwaukee official, who has been ordered to run slowly when approaching Manitowoc. The fact that Fitzgerald obeyed that order and was holding his engine down below twenty miles an hour saved passengers' lives. The coaches did not leave the tracks.

The disaster happened as a result of a switch being turned open and a green light being turned on, signaling the engineer that they had an open track. The locomotive ran along the track for 200 yards, dragging the express and mail coaches with it.

At the general offices of the Wisconsin Western it was said that the railroad attempts to wreck a particular train are probably the work of an insane person.

### KILLED BY STRIKE BREAKER

Chippewa Falls Shoemaker Stabbed in Abdomen and Bleeds to Death Within a Few Minutes.

Chippewa Falls—When William Novack, 20, a shoemaker from another local factory, attempted to join the ranks of the Chippewa Falls strike breakers from St. Paul in the employ of the L. W. Shaw company, who it is said was striking in all directions with a dagger to keep a large crowd of union sympathizers away from him, Novack was struck in the abdomen and bled to death within a few minutes.

Novack was taken to the hospital by the police in the factory, where he had fled, and hurried away in an ambulance from the enraged crowd to the jail. Another alleged strike breaker was caught and beaten. He was rescued by the police.

William Weyenbush, owner of the L. W. factory, left the city when a thronging crowd of 500 strike sympathizers surrounded his home. He ordered the factory closed.

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Winter—Henry Krumholz, 42 years old, who was lost while hunting near here, found his way back to civilization in the vicinity of David Bryant after wandering through the woods for two days. The first night he was lost he slept in a crotch in a tree and watched wolf cubs play.

### Aerialist Returns Home.

Stevens Point—Stuart, 30, a Portage aerialist, fell from a 100-foot high platform at Portage, Wis., Oct. 13, at home after five months in the hospital. He suffered fractures of the skull and collar bones. He will do recruiting duty here.

### To Hunt Ferocious Wolf.

Monroe—Farmers near Manitowoc are hoping for the first snowfall, after which they will organize a hunt for a large and ferocious wolf which has been attacking sheep and calves.

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### Arrest Fifteen Speeders.

Portage—Fifteen automobile drivers were brought into justice court here in one day charged with violating speed ordinances by Sheriff Breize. Pleas of guilty were entered in most cases.

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As a result of these disclosures, Ernest Aldag, Jr., 43 years old, well known hardware merchant, was arrested. Formal charges of assault with intent to do great bodily harm were preferred against him and Miss Sadlier, and bail for each was fixed at \$2,000.

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Suspicion pointed to Miss Sadlier, and the police took her into custody. The girl steadily persisted in her denials, but under the persistent grilling of the police, she broke down, the authorities claim, and made a complete disclosure of the alleged plot. According to the girl, the telephone call and the ensuing encounter had been planned by Mr. Aldag.

Aldag denied he had conspired with Miss Sadlier in the attack. He admitted, however, that he had been on intimate terms with the girl for the last year.

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Rexford gained national fame by his songs and books on floriculture. He was a member of the Boston Authors' club and received degrees from Lawrence college and the University of Wisconsin. When Gov. Philipp appointed a commission to determine who was Wisconsin's greatest citizen, Rexford was among those considered. Former Gov. Howard was chosen, but Prof. S. M. Babcock and Rexford were next.

Among his poems the best loved are "Grandmother's Garden" and "Brother and Lover." His book on "Home Floriculture" is known widely. One of his famous hymns is "O, Where are the Reapers."

For twenty-five years Rexford lived at Shiocton, serving the Congregational church there as organist. His wife died in 1910.

## GUNNERS OFF TO PRACTICE

Three Badger Companies Make Rapid Hike to Texas Target Range.

Fort Sam Houston, Tex.—The three Wisconsin machine gun companies, equipped with four Benet-Mercier guns each, have gone to Leon Springs to engage in target practice during the next two weeks. The companies covered the twenty-four miles to Leon Springs in one day. In doing so they made an extraordinary march. The companies are commanded as follows: First regiment, Capt. Guy D. Kemt; second, Capt. M. C. Tomkins; third, Capt. Dan L. Remington.

The machine guns stand on tripods one foot high. They weigh about thirty pounds and can be carried easily by one man. When carried on the mules they are left set up so that the gun can be put into action in thirty seconds. Each gun fires clips of thirty shots in one minute. The rate of thirty shots in one minute is one-half of the rate of the gun. Each clip is capable of penetrating forty-eight inches of soft pine at 300 feet.

Wisconsin men and officers enjoy watching polo games at the post. In between army officers. The white helmets, riding their agile ponies, proved to be an interesting and unique entertainment to the Wisconsin men.

Many Wisconsin soldiers attended the German-Austrian benefit bazaar held at the Beethoven hall by Germans of San Antonio.

Football is getting to be the most popular game in the men. Nearly every company has a ball. Some companies bought them from funds, others got up collections. Punting and drop kicking is the most common pastime. Cards, checkers and baseball also are popular.

## Concert Causes Suit.

La Crosse—A suit was recovered by his daughter, Margaret, 9 years old, at a municipal band concert, are the basis of a \$10,000 suit against the city filed by John Smika. The city played was lighted by Japanese lanterns. In the rush to get them after the concert last July, a pole fell and fractured the skull of a child. Her life was saved by an operation, but it is asserted that her mind was impaired.

## Two Assaults at Home.

Racine—The home of Mrs. Santo Parry, whose husband is in jail charged with attacking a boarder with a razor, was the scene of another assault. Two unknown men entered the house and attacked James Cassion, another roomer, with a revolver butt, inflicting serious injuries.

## Spent \$10,000 in Free Rides.

Madison—The state of Wisconsin last year paid out \$10,200 to give county school "kids" free rides to school. Vouchers totaling this amount have been sent out by the department of education to many school districts throughout the state within the past week.

## Famous Catholic Educator Dies.

Milwaukee—The Rev. Aloisius Bosche, 71 years old, former pastor of Gesù church and one of the foremost Jesuit educators of the middle west, died at the Gesù pastoral residence on Grand avenue and Twelfth street after a lingering illness of Bright's disease.

## Bread Selling at Six Cents.

Neenah—Small loaves of bread are selling for 6 cents. The raise went into effect through co-operative action on the part of bakers and dealers.

## Badger Man is Ambassador.

Sheboygan—Prof. Garrett A. Dropers of Williams college, named by President Wilson as minister to Greece, succeeding George Fred Williams of Boston, formerly lived in Holland, and has many relatives in Sheboygan county.

## Work for New Y. M. C. A.

Madison—A campaign for the erection of a \$150,000 Y. M. C. A. building is now on here. There are 200 workers in the field collecting money.

## Indorses Playground Issue.

Fond du Lac—The first formal action of Fond du Lac's reorganized Association of Commerce was to pledge its united approval of a \$50,000 bond issue, proceeds from which are to be used on parks and playgrounds.

## Hog Cholera Under Control.

Madison—Hog cholera in Buffalo, Dunn and St. Croix counties has caused severe loss in those counties, but is now under control, reports State Veterinarian O. H. Hanson.

## Robinson Gets Bonus Check.

New York, Oct. 15.—Wilbert Robinson, manager of the Dodgers, received a \$5,000 bonus check from the owners. It was in appreciation for Robinson's trick in giving Brooklyn its first pennant winners in 16 years.

## To Float Another War Loan.

New York, Oct. 19.—Great Britain is to float another war loan of \$250,000,000 in this country. It will be handled by J. P. Morgan & Co. The total amount borrowed here will be \$1,000,000,000.

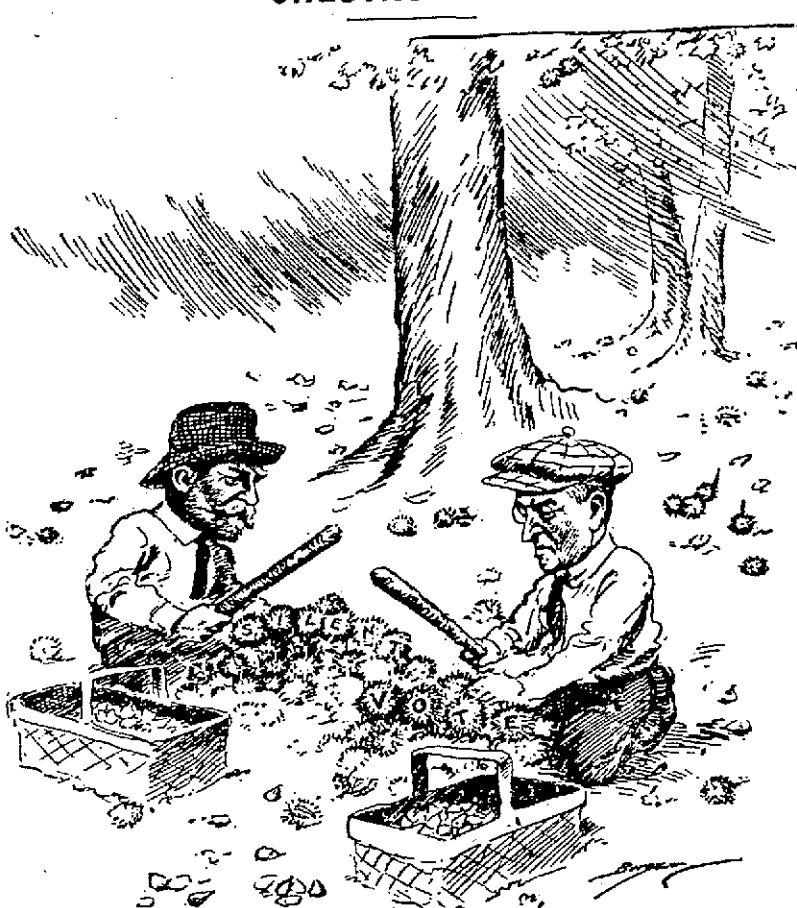
## Swiss Prohibit Exports.

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## Woman Barber Too Leisurely.

An Edmonton barber, who was given temporary exemption, stated that he had tried a woman assistant, but she took half an hour to shave one man.—London Telegraph.

## CHESTNUTTING



WASHINGTON STAR. (L) Require the November Frost to Open Them.

## GREEK ROYALISTS RIOT

ASSAULT FRENCH SAILORS AND ADMIRAL WHO SEIZED FLEET.

Demonstrators Appeal to the U. S. Legation for Protection From Invaders—Note Given King.

London, Oct. 19.—A Reuter's dispatch from Athens says: "The situation appears to be dangerous. There have been serious demonstrations in the streets. Vice Admiral du Poutet, commander of the American allied fleet in the Mediterranean, was hissed and a detachment of French sailors was driven back by a hostile crowd."

"A procession of some 4,000 malcontents, headed by the Greek and American flags, stopped outside the American legation, protesting against the landing of foreign marines and the minister, who was absent."

"The demonstrators then paraded the streets, singing the Greek national anthem."

Vice Admiral du Poutet has handed the Greek government a new note of an extremely grave character, says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Athens.

The earth shooks were felt shortly after four o'clock and were severe in Montgomery and Birmingham, Ala., where swaying office buildings were emptied within a few minutes. In these cities chimneys were destroyed and articles were hurled from shelves in residences and shops.

The earthquake was felt as far north as Louisville, Ky., and east to Augusta, Ga. Its duration was about three minutes and there were two shocks.

## MANIAC WRECKS FAST TRAIN

Engineer Is Killed and Fireman May Die of Injuries at Manitowoc, Wis.

Manitowoc, Wis., Oct. 21.—The Ashland limited train on the Northwestern, running from Chicago to Ashland, was wrecked in the local yards Wednesday night. Engineer Robert Fitzgerald of Milwaukee was killed and Albert Bay, believed to be buried under the wreckage. Several persons on the train received minor injuries.

The wreck was caused by someone throwing a switch, after breaking a lock, and turning the switch light indicating a clear track. The engine rolled over on its side and the baggage car and tender went into a ditch six feet down the embankment. It was the first attempt in several months to wreck this train.

## RESCUE CHIEF DIES IN MINE

Engineer Seeking Entombed Men Is Asphyxiated by Deadly Gas—Four Bodies Recovered.

Fairmont, W. Va., Oct. 23.—L. M. Jones, a mining engineer sent to Barrackville, near here, in charge of a trained crew from the Pittsburgh station of the bureau of mines to conduct the work of rescue at the Jamison mine, was entombed by an explosion, the body of Matthew Allison, the chief electrician, who was at work in the mine when the explosion occurred, was brought out. Three other bodies were recovered, among them Allison's assistant, A. W. Vance.

## TEUTONS DEFEAT RUSS ARMY

Austro-German Force Cuts Off Line Near Lemberg—1,930 Prisoners Were Captured.

Berlin, Oct. 19.—A crushing defeat of the Russian army attacking the Lemberg defense lines was announced on Tuesday by the war office. The Teutons took Russian trenches on a front of a mile and a half, taking 1,930 prisoners. Ten machine guns were captured.

## Big Increase in Exports.

New York, Oct. 23.—Domestic exports from New York during September were greater by more than \$100,000,000 than shipments in the corresponding month of 1915, according to Malone, collector of the port.

## Crude Oil at Record Price.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 23.—Crude oil went back to its record price here when the principal purchasing agencies, at the opening of the market, announced an advance of ten cents a barrel on all grades.

## Test Armored Railroad Car.

New York, Oct. 21.—An armored railroad car, designed for patrol work for the U. S. army and for action against mobile troop organizations, has been given its trial test at the Sandy Hook proving grounds.

## Austrian Forces 40,000.

Rome, Oct. 21.—Italians continue to push their new offensive toward Trieste. It was estimated that the Austrians have lost 40,000 in killed, wounded and captured since the offensive began.

## Russ Cavalry Defeat Turks.

Petrograd, Oct. 19.—In a cavalry battle 50 miles west of Erzerum, Armenia, the Russians defeated the Turks, according to a war office statement. The Turkish port of Bolu is being bombarded.

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## TWENTY-ONE DIE IN LAKE SHIP WRECK

Whaleback Steamer Colgate Founders in Erie Storm.

### CAPTAIN ADRIFT 34 HOURS

Walter Grashaw Rescued From Life-Raft Few Minutes After Two Companions Were Washed Away by Huge Wave.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 23.—Another tragedy of Lake Erie's "Black Cat" which cost the lives of 21 men, came to light, wave-borne when a life-raft, to which Capt. Walter Grashaw of the whaleback steamer James B. Colgate had clung since she foundered, 34 hours before, was picked up off Ronquet, Canada, and taken to Conneaut, O.

Nineteen men were sucked down to death when the steamer foundered Friday night off Long Point, opposite Erie, and Captain Grashaw's two companions on the life-raft were washed away just as the rescue ship, the ferry steamer Marquette No. 2, came plowing through the waves toward them. Grashaw is the sole survivor of the Colgate's crew of 22.

### Two Slip Off Raft.

Human strength and tenacity of life succumbed to the deadly eddies of the waves and their contributions lasting. Second Engineer Harry Besmann and a coxswain, whose name Captain Grashaw did not know, slipped from the raft just as the Marquette swung around to take them off.

The circumstances of their death closely paralleled the end of Oscar Johnson Saturday morning, when he slipped from the rigging of the L. L. Flier, sunk near Detroit, just as the Western Star was about to take him off and Captain Mattison of the Flier.

Now mounting the top of a wave, now engulfed, the life-raft to which Captain Grashaw and his companions clung was sighted by the wheelman of the Marquette in the afternoon. The three figures, rope-entangled, were prone on it, and at every onslaught of the seas they washed back and forth, apparently lifeless.

### One Man Remains.

The captain was notified and the ferry steamer quickly directed her course toward the bit of jettison. Just as she rounded to, an unusually large wave, as if enraged at seeing its prey escape, swept over the raft. As it receded only one man remained, and far off two grotesquely twisted figures sunk slowly beneath the green waters.

Captain Grashaw was lifted from the raft and carried, semiconscious, to the Marquette's fireroom.

### Master Only Two Weeks.

Captain Grashaw, whose home is at 2360 East Eighty-ninth street, Cleveland, had been master of the Colgate only two weeks.

Among the 21 who lost their lives in the wreck, according to Captain Grashaw, were:

### Second Engineer Osman of Cleveland











**GUN EXPLOSION**  
Pittsville Record: LeoMcLaughlin of this city, was seriously injured Sunday by the explosion of a gun he was carrying while hunting partridges. The gun is one of the pump variety and it is supposed got choked while firing, causing an explosion.  
The breach of the gun came back on firing, striking the young man in the face, inflicting a serious injury under the right eye. Dr. Beyer took five stitches in the flesh to close the wound which is considered serious from a medical standpoint on account of the nature of it. It is Y-shaped and much of the skin at the intersection of the rents is gone, making it a painstaking job for the surgeon.  
While it will not keep him indoors for any length of time it is liable to cause an ugly scar to remain on the face.

**MOTHERS BEING KILLED**  
This bureau is being called upon in an editorial appearing in the current issue of the Wisconsin Medical Journal to make a campaign against the "frightful mortality among the mothers of Wisconsin" from blood poisoning accompanying childbirth. This call is a significant one, coming as it does from a periodical owned by the organized medical profession of the state, because it does not lay the responsibility, entirely on others, but frankly states that physicians are to blame in many instances.  
This self-criticism is true to the best traditions of the medical profession. The principles of that profession have always demanded of its practitioners that they place the interests of their patients above their own. In this they are comparable to soldiers who are obligated by their own unwritten law to risk their own lives in times of danger, until every passenger's safety has been looked to first.

But as there have been sailors who have thought of personal "safety first" so are there some practitioners of medicine whose first thoughts are of personal ease and easy money. The medical journal holds no brief for such. On the contrary it considers the welfare of the individual, the patient and the non-medical public, in the mass, to be above personal and class interests.  
According to official figures, 106 mothers died in Wisconsin last year of blood poisoning as an incident of childbirth. Even this isn't the whole truth because not all of such deaths are recorded truthfully as to cause.  
Practically all of those deaths were preventable and yet they were not prevented. Why? Because in too many instances someone was careless or ignorant—or both careless and ignorant. A large proportion of Wisconsin mothers do not have an intelligent physician or midwife in attendance. Altogether to many are dependent upon such service as neighbors, husbands and even children may render.  
It would seem as if every expectant mother were entitled to the following minimum of care and yet I am assured by physicians that not a very large proportion receive even this little:  
1st. Examinations and reasonable assistance in safeguarding her own and her expected infant's life and health.  
2nd. Skillful, clean and prompt attendance during her confinement either at home or in an accessible hospital.  
3rd. Necessary after care to insure her restoration to a reasonable degree of health; and intelligent attention to the proper care and feeding of the new-born infant.

**AUCTION SALE**  
At Clover Hill Stock Farm, three-fourths of a mile east and one and one-half miles north of Rudolph Station, on Tuesday, October 31, 1916, the following will be sold:  
14 head of cows and some young stock, also full-blooded Holstein calf 3 months old.  
Sale starts at 1 o'clock.  
Terms of sale: Bankable paper for six months at 6 per cent.  
CHAS. HASSELL, Owner.  
Barney St Denis, Auctioneer.

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Glasses fitted correctly. Ear and eye surgery. Riverview Hospital. Office in Wood County Bank Building. Telephone No. 254.

**MAKING ENDS MEET**  
The wagon for which the coal dealer paid \$110.00 fourteen years ago costs him nearly double that amount today.  
Horses have gone way up in price—an increase of nearly 75 per cent. Harness costs 50 per cent more than it did. The price of feed is so uncertain that it isn't even counted in.  
The teamster who delivers your coal gets almost twice the wages he did fourteen years ago.  
Carrying bags, coal chutes and shovels all cost the dealer more money.

**Comparative Values**

| 1902                          | 1916             |
|-------------------------------|------------------|
| \$110.....Wagon.....          | \$207.00         |
| \$175.....Horse.....          | \$300.00         |
| \$50.....Harness.....         | 75.00            |
| \$1.50.....Teamsters per day  | 2.75             |
| \$18.....Carrying Bags, doz.  | 24.00            |
| 40c.....Chutes, per foot..... | .60              |
| \$13.00.....Shovels, doz..... | 15.00            |
| \$1.00 Dealer's Margin        | \$1.15 (per ton) |

His margin has increased 15 per cent—his cost of doing business has increased nearly 70 per cent.  
Is it any wonder that 15c a ton profit is about all he gets out of hard coal?

**BOSSERT BROTHERS**  
WOOD AND COAL YARDS

**CARE OF MILK CANS**  
Thorough Washing and Sterilization a Necessity in the Production of Clean Milk.  
In justice to the farmer, milk dealers should give considerable attention to the question of washing the cans before they are returned. If the cans are allowed to go back unwashed to the farmer, it is a very difficult task for him, with his limited facilities, to clean them.  
In a circular letter recently sent to milk dealers by the Dairy Division of the department, it was pointed out that bacterial counts made from cans which had been washed and rinsed in the ordinary manner showed that there were from 300,000 to 18,000,000 bacteria in each can, with an average of 4,600,000. If ten gallons of milk were put into one of these cans there would be added more than 100 bacteria to each cubic centimeter of the milk. That is to say, this is the least number that would be added. Whereas, it was pointed out, with a little steaming these same cans could have been rendered practically sterile.  
One dealer who recently installed a modern washing machine employed a bacteriologist to test the results. It was found that less than 200,000 bacteria were in a can, and among them were no undesirable types. Bacterial counts of cans treated by a less efficient steaming device which this dealer had formerly employed ran as high as 20,000,000 bacteria to the can, including some undesirable kinds.  
There are a number of different types of cleaning machines on the market. The aim of all the efficient ones, however, is the thorough cleansing with washing powder and water, rinsing, sterilization with steam, and rapid drying. After this the can should be covered and kept from contamination.  
One of the simplest of the machines is a jet device, by means of which sprays of cold and hot water and of steam are successively forced into the can. This type is also equipped sometimes with a drying attachment by means of which a draft of dry air is forced into the can. Another type is the brush machine, in which cans are brushed with washing powder and water and then rinsed. After washing they may be steamed by a spray of steam. Some of the largest machines are fitted with a powerful pump, the cans in an inverted position being run thru the machine and sprays of soap and steam rinse water, hot water, and steam successively forced into them under considerable pressure. They are then dried in the same machine.  
The drying of the cans is an important factor, for if not only leaves them in a much better condition, but it tends to prevent rust. The covers also must not be neglected. It is as important that it be as thoroughly cleaned and sterilized as the can itself. It is not a good plan to put the cover on the can until the latter is quite dry. In the interval the can should be kept in a dry place where there is no dust or contamination.  
On the farm, cans, pails and other utensils may be sterilized very efficiently with an inexpensive sterilizer which is fully described in Farmer's Bulletin 748. This bulletin may be obtained upon application to the department.

**MEDHAN.**  
We were visited by quite a snow storm last Friday, October 29. It was not much but enough so that the boys were able to gather up a few snowballs where the snow blew against the buildings and piled up on the ground.  
Herman Pitcher and family of Waukegan visited with friends here a few days last week.  
J. S. Duffee has been confined to his bed for a few days past by a severe attack of grippe and heart trouble.  
Rev. S. E. Taylor of Richland Center preached a very interesting sermon at the church last Thursday evening from Matt. 5:1. The church was well filled and all enjoyed the sermon.  
Our road commissioner has had a crew of men and teams at work on the Plover-Grand Rapids road the past week grading up the low places and getting ready for the gravel and macadam, which it is expected will be put on next spring if not before.  
Mrs. D. H. Parks has been under a physician's care the past week, being sick with an attack of quinsy.  
A miscellaneous shower has been announced by the friends of Miss Vilaria Fox, to be given in her honor at her home next Saturday evening, October 28.  
L. T. Fox is able to be around again after his severe attack of rheumatism. He was laid up for a matter of four weeks.  
Several of the Sunday school people attended the services at the Mill Creek school house last Sunday morning. Mr. Merry of Stevens Point gave the people an excellent talk on the future work of the Sunday schools.  
Quite a number of young people and friends of Miss Cecil Parks gathered at her home last Saturday evening and enjoyed a good time. The occasion was her birthday anniversary.  
**ARVIN.**  
F. T. Mueller is painting the parsonage this week.  
John F. Loschky and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kerous and Mrs. B. Whitingham attended the dance in Auburndale Tuesday night.  
Mrs. Otto Kerous entertained the Royal Neighbors at their social meeting Tuesday evening. A very nice lunch was served in the latter part of the evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Gardner are the proud parents of a baby boy, born to them on Monday, October 16. Mrs. Wm. Grimm is very ill with appendicitis at this writing.  
George and Ben Otto and Wm. Martin were Marshfield shoppers on Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Kurtz and Mr. Kurtz's sister, Mrs. Langolf, had supper Wednesday evening with Mrs. John Whitingham.  
Mr. Brant, Wm. Petreck, Max Petreck and Max Kogler took some cattle to Vesper Saturday.  
Mrs. John Kurtz and Mrs. Ed Langolf were Grand Rapids shoppers Wednesday.  
Mrs. Ed Langolf of Pittsville visited with her brother, John Kurtz, and family, a part of last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Petreck and Mr. and Mrs. John Kurtz visited Sunday with the Gust Geronemeyer family.  
Mrs. Wm. Martin and son Jesse returned home from a week end visit with friends and relatives in Nettieville Monday.  
Herbert Mueller and Arthur Decker of Athens are visiting the former's uncle and family, F. T. Mueller.

**O. R. MOORE**  
PHOTOGRAPHER  
Opposite Wood County National Bank. 25 years behind the camera but not a day behind the times.

**SHERRY.**  
George Thomas Mannell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mannell, was born at Lima, Wisconsin, in 1874, and died of pneumonia on October 10, 1916, at 5 p. m. at the home of his mother one mile north of Blenker. Mr. Mannell came here in April with his three small children, expecting to locate, his former home being in Washington, where his wife had been in a sanitarium for the past two years. This death is indeed very sad as it leaves three small children to battle with the world without either father or mother. Mr. Mannell was a soldier in the Spanish-American war, and served until it closed. He made many warm friends during his short stay among us. He was a member of the M. E. church in Washington. Short services were held at his mother's home conducted by the Rev. Anderson of Vesper, who spoke comforting words to the relatives and friends. Mr. Mannell leaves his wife and three small children, his mother, six brothers and four sisters. The body was taken to Plattfield, where he was laid to rest beside his father who passed away about twenty-one years ago. The sympathy of the community goes out to the family in their great sorrow.  
Mr. Sinclair of Superior, Iowa, is visiting at the Geo. Powell home. He will move his family in about a month over near Lindsey, where he has purchased a small farm.  
Miss Grace Arnot has been here on business and looking after her Jersey herd, which has been on the Frank Parks farm for the past two years.  
Miss Grace Ellis, Miss Hazel Morey and V. M. Douglas were entertained at the David Davis home last Friday evening. Miss Clara Farrell was also a guest and the evening was much enjoyed by all.  
Deverus Summers is assisting Arthur Smith in laying the foundation of his new home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Townsend left last Friday for Illinois where they go to spend the winter.  
There was a good turnout, also a good meeting at the home of Mrs. John Abbey last Saturday at the missionary meeting. Several things have been decided on that will make the work more effective in the future.  
A leap-year party was given in the town hall on Monday evening by Mr. Richard Evans.  
Rev. M. Pfeiler was not here to hold English services on Sabbath morning as was expected, he having been called to Iowa by the death of a near relative of his wife.

**POLOVER ROAD.**  
Mrs. Ernest Krueger and daughter of Plover spent Saturday at the Charles Voight home.  
Robert Walter is employed at the Biron mill.  
Walter Fors and George Benson who are employed in Grand Rapids spent Sunday at their homes here.  
Rudolph Miller and Peter Felio of Plover were callers here Sunday.  
Miss Esther Voight has returned home from a visit with relatives at Plover.  
The Plover road through this section is being graded.  
Lester Keeney is now employed in Grand Rapids.  
**MOCCASIN CREEK.**  
Orvall Perkins and wife and Otto Slick and wife of Mazonia visited a few days at the home of Wm. Winch and Wilber Perkins. They made the trip here by auto.  
Mrs. Chas. Bathke spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. August Bathke. Ernest Beck is reported to be very sick.  
Frank Cornwall has been entertaining his brother from Beaver Dam the past week.  
Boetcher Bros. are remodeling their old house.  
J. Luoc has been in Sun Prairie the past week.

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That wool is high, that dyestuffs are scarce, no man doubts. How then is it possible for the makers of  
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to keep up the quality of this famous suit without raising the price?  
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**The Most Charming Suits We've Shown**  
SOME of the most beautiful suits we have ever assembled in our garment section are now on display, ready for your inspection, and we hope, your approval.  
With new models arriving daily, the task of selecting just the right suit is an easy one.  
In materials you will see represented every fabric that is correct for Fall and Winter.  
We have ever so many models that are charmingly trimmed, but for the woman who desires a strictly plain tailored model, we have an unlimited variety. Every good color is represented, of course.

**The New Modes Presented In The Women's Blouse Section**  
And so fascinating are they in their artful little touches of style, their smartness of line, their very "newness," that it is safe to predict this will be a blouse season of supreme interest. We invite your inspection of these new Crepe de Chene, Georgette Crepe, Organdie and Voile Blouses.  
**Silks of Superior Service** Brilliant in pattern and coloring. New and strikingly handsome weaves whose popularity will reign supreme in the world of fashionable dress this fall speak proudly for themselves in this showing. Variety is the keynote of distinction because it insures satisfaction with the individual choice that's made. The brilliancy of the exhibit admits of no argument—we know you'll be delighted. Prices, as usual, are the lowest for which good silks ever sell.  
**The Newest in Dress Goods**—No question about the popularity of our Dress Goods Department. With stocks larger and more varied than ever before we are offering thousands of yards of fashionable materials, including every wanted style and coloring for Fall and Winter—at fairest prices.

**Dependable Shoes for Boys and Girls**  
It has always been our aim to carry only dependable footwear, especially so in shoes for the Boy and Girl—they're more astir than the grown-ups, naturally are harder on shoe leather, and it requires something extra substantial to stand the strain. The fact that our Children's Shoe business is constantly growing seems to us conclusive proof that our children's line is giving the best of satisfaction.  
We are still selling many styles in Children's shoes at last season's prices—good substantial shoes that we contracted for five or six months ago—these will remain at the old price as long as we have sizes.  
Boys High Cut Storm Boots in brown blucher style, a dandy boot for fall and winter wear—  
**\$3.50 and \$3.00**  
Same styles also in Youths' and Little Gent's  
High Cut Boots in Misses and Big Girls, dull leathers, lace or button styles  
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## FACED INJURED FROM GUN EXPLOSION

Pittsville Record: Two McLaughlin of this city, was seriously injured Sunday by the explosion of a gun he was carrying while hunting part-ridges. The gun is one of the "pump" variety and it is supposed to be choked while firing, causing an explosion. The breach of the gun came back on firing, striking the victim in the face, inflicting a serious injury under the right eye. Dr. Boyer took five stitches in the flesh to close the wound which is considered serious from a medical standpoint on account of the nature of it. It is Y-shaped and much of the skin at the intersection of the rent is gone, making it a painstaking job for the surgeon. While it will not keep him indoors for any length of time it is liable to cause an ugly scar to remain on the face.

## MOTHERS BEING KILLED

This bureau is being called upon in an editorial appearing in the current issue of the Wisconsin Medical Journal to make a campaign against the "frightful mortality among the mothers of Wisconsin" from blood poisoning accompanying childbirth. This call is a significant one, coming as it does from a periodical owned by the organized medical profession of the state, because it does not lay the blame entirely on others, but frankly states that physicians are to blame in many instances.

This self-criticism is true to the best traditions of the medical profession. The practice of that profession has always demanded of its practitioners that they place the interests of their patients above their own. In this they are comparable to sailors who, obliged by their own unwritten law never to leave the ship in times of danger, until every passenger's safety has been looked to first.

But all these have been sailors who have thought of personal "safety first," so are there some practitioners of medicine whose first thoughts are of personal ease and easy money. The medical journal holds no belief for such. On the contrary it considers the welfare of the individual, the patient and the non-medical public, in the mass, to be above personal and class interests.

According to official figures, 198 mothers died in Wisconsin last year of blood poisoning as an incident of childbirth. Even this isn't the whole truth because not all of such deaths are recorded truthfully as to cause. Practically all of these deaths were preventable and yet they were not prevented. Why? Because in too many instances someone was careless or ignorant, or both careless and ignorant. A large proportion of Wisconsin mothers do not have an intelligent physician or midwife in attendance. Altogether to many are dependent upon such service as neighbors, husbands and even children may render.

It would seem as if every expectant mother were entitled to the following minimum of care and yet I am assured by physicians that not a very large proportion receive even this little:

1st. Examinations and reasonable assistance in safeguarding her own and her expected infant's life and health.

2nd. Skillful, clean and prompt attendance during her confinement either at home or in an accessible hospital.

3rd. Necessary after care to insure her restoration to a reasonable degree of health; and intelligent attention to the proper care and feeding of the new-born infant.

## AUCTION SALE

At Clover Hill Stock Farm, three-fourths of a mile east and one and one-half miles north of Rudolph Station, on Tuesday, October 31, 1916, the following will be sold: A head of cows and some young stock, also full-blooded Holstein calf 3 months old.

Sale starts at 1 o'clock. Terms of sale: Cash and paper for six months at 6 per cent. CHAS. HASSPILL, Owner. Barney St. Denis, Auctioneer.

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## MAKING ENDS MEET

The wagon for which the coal dealer paid \$110.00 fourteen years ago costs him nearly double that amount today.

Horses have gone way up in price—an increase of nearly 75 per cent. Harness costs 50 per cent more than it did. The price of feed is so uncertain that it isn't even counted in.

The teamster who delivers your coal gets almost twice the wages he did fourteen years ago.

Carrying bags, coal chutes and shovels all cost the dealer more money.

## Comparative Values

| 1902                             | 1916             |
|----------------------------------|------------------|
| \$110.....Wagon.....             | \$207.50         |
| \$175.....Horse.....             | 300.00           |
| \$50.....Harness.....            | 75.00            |
| \$1.50.....Teams per day.....    | 2.75             |
| \$18.....Carrying Bags, doz..... | 24.00            |
| 40c.....Chutes, per foot.....    | .60              |
| \$13.00.....Shovels, doz.....    | 15.00            |
| \$1.00 Dealer's Margin.....      | \$1.15 (per ton) |

His margin has increased 15 per cent—his cost of doing business has increased nearly 70 per cent.

Is it any wonder that the coal ton profit is about all he gets out of hard coal?

**BOSSERT BROTHERS**  
WOOD AND COAL YARDS

## CARE OF MILK CANS

Thorough Washing and Sterilization a Necessity in the Production of Clean Milk.

In justice to the farmer, milk dealer or should give considerable attention to the question of washing the cans before they are returned. If the cans are allowed to go back unwashed to the farmer, it is a very difficult task for him, with his limited facilities, to clean them.

In a circular letter recently sent to milk dealers by the Dairy Division of the department, it was pointed out that bacterial counts made from cans which had been washed and rinsed in the ordinary manner showed that there were from 200,000 to 18,000,000 bacteria in each can, with an average of 4,500,000. If ten gallons of milk were put into one of these cans there would be added more than ten bacteria to each cubic centimeter of the milk. That is to say, this is the least number that would be added. Whereas, it was pointed out, with a little steaming these same cans could have been rendered practically sterile.

The dealer who recently installed a modern washing machine employed a bacteriologist to test the results. It was found that less than 200,000 bacteria were in a can, and among them were no undesirable types. Bacterial counts of cans treated by a less efficient steaming device which this dealer had formerly employed ran as high as 20,000,000 bacteria to the can, including some undesirable kinds.

There are a number of different types of cleaning machines on the market. The kind of all the efficient ones, however, is the thorough cleansing with washing powder and water, rinsing, sterilization with steam, and rapid drying. After this the can should be covered and kept from contamination.

One of the simplest of the machines is a jet device, by means of which sprays of cold and hot water and of steam are successively forced into the can. This type is also equipped sometimes with a drying attachment by means of which a draft of dry air is forced into the can. Another type is the brush machine, in which cans are brushed with washing powder and water and then rinsed. After washing they may be steamed by a spray of steam. Some of the largest machines are fitted with a powerful pump, the cans in an inverted position being run thru the machine and sprays of soap and water, of steam, hot water, and steam successively forced into them under considerable pressure. They are then dried in the same machine.

The drying of the cans is an important factor, for it not only leaves them in a much better condition, but it tends to prevent rust. The cover also must not be neglected. It is as important that it be as thoroughly cleaned and sterilized as the can itself. It is not a good plan to put the cover on the can until the latter is quite dry. In the interval the can should be kept in a dry place where there is no dust or contamination.

On the farm, cans, pails and other utensils may be cleaned very efficiently with an inexpensive sterilizer which is fully described in Farmer's Bulletin 748. This bulletin may be obtained upon application to the department.

## MEDHAN.

We were visited by quite a snow storm last Friday, October 20. It was not much snow, but it was enough so that the boys were able to gather up a few snowballs where the snow blown against the buildings and piled up on the ground.

Herman Treiber and family of Waupun visited with friends here a few days last week.

J. S. Darfee has been confined to his bed for a few days past by a severe attack of grippe and heart trouble.

Rev. S. E. Taylor of Richland Center preached a very interesting sermon at the church last Thursday evening from Matt. 23. The church was well filled and all enjoyed the sermon.

Our road commissioner has had a crew of men and teams at work on the "flower road" between the post office and the mill. The road is now graded up to the places and getting ready for the gravel and macadam, which it is expected will be put on next spring if not before.

D. H. Parks has been under a physician's care the past week, being sick with an attack of quinsy.

A miscellaneous shower has been announced by the friends of Miss Virginia Fox, to be given in her honor at her home next Saturday evening, October 28.

L. T. Fox is able to be around again after his severe attack of rheumatism. He was laid up for a matter of four weeks.

Several of the Sunday school people attended the services at the Mill Creek school house last Sunday morning. Mr. Merry of Stevens Point gave the lesson and an excellent talk on the future work of the Sunday schools.

Quite a number of young people and friends of Miss Cecil Parks gathered at her home last Saturday evening and enjoyed a good time. The occasion was her birthday anniversary.

F. T. McEller is painting the parsonage this week.

John F. Loschky and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kerosus and Mrs. B. Whitingham attended the dance in Auburndale "this" night.

Mrs. Otto Kerosus entertained the Royal Neighbors at their social meeting Tuesday evening. A very nice lunch was served in the latter part of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gardner are the proud parents of a baby boy, born to them on Monday, October 16. Mrs. Wm. Martin is very ill with appendicitis at this writing.

George and Ben Otto and Wm. Martin were Marshfield shoppers on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kurtz and Mr. Kurtz's sister, Mrs. Langolf, had supper Wednesday evening with Mrs. Joan Whitingham.

Mr. Brant, Wm. Petreck, Max Petreck and Max Kiegl took some cattle to Vesper Saturday.

Mrs. John Kurtz and Mrs. Ed Langolf were Grand Rapids shoppers Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed Langolf of Pittsville visited with her brother, John Kurtz, and family, a part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Petreck and Mr. and Mrs. John Kurtz visited Sunday with the Gust Geroneneyer family.

Mrs. Wm. Martin and son Jesse returned home from a week end visit with friends and relatives in Neillville Monday.

Herbert Mueller and Arthur Becker of Athens are visiting the former's uncle and family, F. T. Mueller.

## O. R. MOORE

PHOTOGRAPHER  
Opposite Wood County National Bank. 25 years behind the camera but not a day behind the times.

## BIRON

There was a republican rally at the Club house in our town one night the past week.

Harry Gilman spent one day last week visiting at his home in Plover. Raymond Grotteau was a Rudolph visitor last Sunday.

Steve Trusyski was a business visitor in Grand Rapids one day last week.

Little George Meyers is improving rapidly from his recent sick spell.

Mrs. Alex Muir who injured her arm while moving is improving very slowly.

Left Akey transacted business in Grand Rapids one day last week.

Vincent Sinkoski and wife spent Sunday in Kellner.

John Dinger is one of the lucky hunters of the locality, he has bagged nine ducks and three rabbits in one day's hunting trip.

Owen Love has resigned his position in the mill and will remove to Cincinnati, Ohio, where he intends to engage in the butcher business.

Mr. Love is an expert at his trade, and should meet with unlimited success in his new location.

Ed Schuler of Michigan was in our town last week a guest at the Albert Zager home. He left the last of the week for Wautoma where he will visit with relatives.

Archie Snyder who works in the mill here met with an accident last week which caused him the loss of his right hand. He is recovering from the accident as rapidly as possible.

George Eberhart has been promoted to the position of engineer in the mill here.

Mrs. J. E. Marvin of Nekeosa visited at the Alex Muir home a few days the past week.

T. H. Lanthorn has resigned his position at the club house here and moved to Grand Rapids.

Miss Hazel Plenke was a guest of Miss Pearl Akey Saturday and Sunday.

Martin Giebke was a visitor at Kellner Sunday.

## SIGEL

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Pavloski of Port Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. John Yoske of Grand Rapids spent Sunday at the A. Yoske home.

Polly Adam of Grand Rapids visited friends here over Sunday.

Josephine Yoske of Port Edwards visited her cousin and also took in the dance in Vesper.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hottman of Vesper and Mr. and Mrs. Lake autored to Stevens Point Sunday.

Herman Ruess and wife are the guests of Henry Ruess and family.

Frank Sternot who has been quite sick, is getting better at this writing.

The ladies of the congregation at church at Vesper will hold a bazaar and chicken supper on October 23. A big free program will be given in the evening. Supper 25c. Everybody come and have a good time.

Lynn Turner was a Marshfield caller on Tuesday.

Wilbur Perkins is entertaining his brother from the southern part of the state.

Joe Gerick was a Pittsville caller on Monday.

## SHERRY.

George Thomas Mall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel, was born at Lima, Wisconsin, in 1874, and died of pneumonia on October 10, 1916, at 5 p. m. at the home of his mother one mile north of Bunker. Mr. Mall came here in April with his three small children, expecting to locate, his former home being in Washington, where his wife had been in a sanatorium for the past two years.

This death is indeed very sad as it leaves three small children to battle with the world without either father or mother. Mr. Manuel was a soldier and served with it closely. He made many warm friends during his short stay among us. He was a member of the M. E. church in Washington.

Short services were held at his mother's home conducted by the Rev. Anderson of Vesper, who spoke comforting words to the relatives and friends. Mr. Manuel leaves his wife and three small children, his mother, six brothers and four sisters.

The body was taken to Plattfield, where he was laid to rest beside his father who passed away about twenty-one years ago. The sympathy of the community goes out to the family in their great sorrow.

Mr. Sinclair of Superior, Iowa, is visiting at the Geo. Powell home.

He will move his family in about a month to near Lindsey, where he has purchased a small farm.

Miss Grace Ellis, Miss Hazel Morey and V. M. Douglas were entertained at the David Davis home last Friday evening. Miss Clara Farrell was also a guest and the evening was much enjoyed by all.

Dewey Sommers is assisting Arthur Smith in laying the foundation of his new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Townsend left last Friday for Illinois where they go to spend the winter.

There was a good turnout, also a good meeting at the home of Mrs. John Abbey last Saturday at the missionary meeting. Several things have been decided on that will make the work more effective in the future.

A leap-year party was given in the town hall on Monday evening by Mr. Richard E. Rev.

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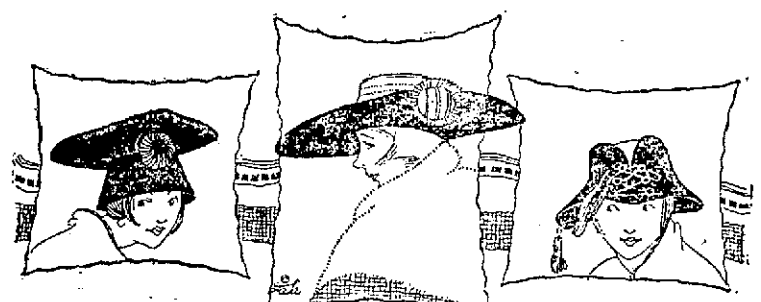
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We cordially invite you to come and inspect the largest and best variety of Millinery ever shown in this section of the country.

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Styleplus Clothes \$17

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Simply this way: The makers center their efforts on this suit and overcoat. The public have voted Styleplus the great clothing achievement at medium price. Volume output scientifically keeps the price down.

You win—style plus all wool fabrics—guaranteed satisfaction. \$17 the same as ever.

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## The Most Charming Suits We've Shown

SOME of the most beautiful suits we have ever assembled in our garment section are now on display, ready for your inspection, and we hope, your approval.

With new models arriving daily, the task of selecting just the right suit is an easy one.

In materials you will see represented every fabric that is correct for Fall and Winter.

We have ever so many models that are charmingly trimmed, but for the woman who desires a strictly plain tailored model, we have an unlimited variety. Every good color is represented, of course.



## The New Modes Presented In The Women's Blouse Section

And so fascinating are they in their artful little touches of style, their smartness of line, their very "newness," that it is safe to predict this will be a blouse season of supreme interest. We invite your inspection of these new Crepe de Chene, Georgette Crepe, Organdie and Voile Blouses.

## Silks of Superior Service

Brilliant in pattern and coloring. New and strikingly handsome weaves whose popularity will reign supreme in the world of fashionable dress this fall speak proudly for themselves in this showing. Variety is the keynote of distinction because it insures satisfaction with the individual choice that's made. The brilliancy of the exhibit admits of no argument—we know you'll be delighted. Prices, as usual, are the lowest for which good silks ever sell.

The Newest in Dress Goods—No question about the popularity of our Dress Goods Department. With stocks larger and more varied than ever before we are offering thousands of yards of fashionable materials, including every wanted style and coloring for Fall and Winter at fairest prices.

## Dependable Shoes for Boys and Girls



It has always been our aim to carry only dependable footwear, especially so in shoes for the Boy and Girl—they're more astir than the grown-ups, naturally are harder on shoe leather, and it requires something extra substantial to stand the strain. The fact that our Children's Shoe business is constantly growing seems to us conclusive proof that our children's line is giving the best of satisfaction.

We are still selling many styles in Children's shoes at last season's prices—good substantial shoes that we contracted for five or six months ago—these will remain at the old price as long as we have sizes.

Boys High Cut Storm Boots in brown blucher style, a dandy boot for fall and winter wear—

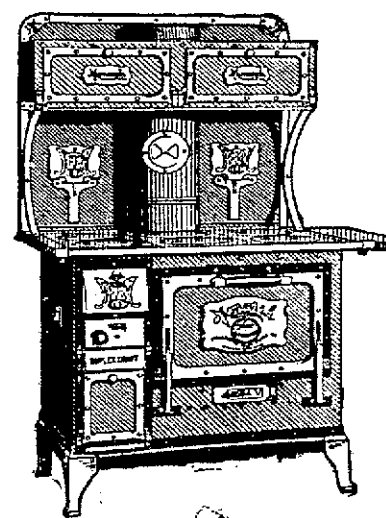
\$3.50 and \$3.00  
Same styles also in Youths' and Little Gent's High Cut Boots in Misses and Big Girls, dull leathers, lace or button styles

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Children's sizes.....\$2.50 and \$2.25  
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